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FARM CLUB MEETS

AGRICULTURAL PROMOTERS PICK DIRECTORATE TODAY.

NEW OFFICIAL AT HEAD

Albert H. Cooper Now Manager of Nodaway County Agricultural and Domestic Science Association.

A semi-annual meeting of the Nodaway County Agricultural and Domestic Science Association was held at the court house this morning to select a new executive committee and directorate. A discussion of plans for this year's show also was held.

The old executive committee was retained and W. R. Jackson, secretary of the Commercial Club, added to the committee. It now consists of Miss Hettie Anthony and Prof. John E. Cameron of the Normal, James B. Robinson, G. L. Wilfley, Joseph Jackson, Jr., Paul Sisson and W. R. Jackson.

E. E. Williams was re-elected secretary and treasurer and Albert H. Cooper, now county school superintendent, replaces Prof. W. M. Oakerson, as manager of the association.

Has $335.51 Balance.

The report of the association shows that there now is a balance on hand in the treasury of $335.51, which may be appropriated for premiums to exhibitors in this year's show. Of this amount $151.65 was recently received from the state, as a result of a provision of the state legislature two years ago.

A committee consisting of A. H. Cooper, Miss Hettie Anthony and W. R. Jackson, was appointed this morning to make out the premium list for this year's show. This committee probably will meet within a short time and arrange the list. It is the plan of the association to give a total of approximately $1,000 in premiums this year, as compared to $600 last fall.

Mr. Oakerson, in resigning, recommended to the association that the offering to boy corn growers should be enlarged and that that branch of agriculture should be promotsd. He suggested that, where but five prizes were given in this department last fall, the association next fall should give between $300 and $400 to the participants in this contest.

Would Promote School Craft.

Another suggestion of Prof. Oakerson, which evidently met with considerable favor and will be adopted, is to offer prizes this year to the better school exhibits. It is Prof. Oakerson's plan in this regard to induce the various rural and small town schools to enter an exhibit of work done by its scholars. Such exhibits would probably contain handiwork with the needle by girls and wood work and mechanical contrivances by the boys of the schools.

All in all, it is believed this year's offering to the boys and girls of Nodaway county will be much larger than any other of the six years the association has been in existence. The offerings probably will be announced next spring. The exhibits will not be received until next October.

Firm Ceases Partnership.

The firm of Wallace & Holmes, dissolved partnership this week, G. B. Holmes taking over the interests of Frank Wallace. Mr. Holmes will keep the same office over the store of Mark Turner, formerly occupied by the firm. Mr. Wallace is yet undecided in his business plans for the future.

Ill With Pneumonia.

Isabel Hamlin, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hamlin, is very ill with pneumonia.

John Baumle of Arkoe, was in Maryville today on business.

BEGIN REVIVAL TOMORROW

Baptists to Hold Evangelistic Services With Special Worker in Charge.

The First Baptist church will begin its month's evangelistic meetings tomorrow night with the Rev. Lewis M. Hale, pastor, in charge. After tomorrow, however, the Rev. A. E. Burch, of Kansas City, an evangelist and minister of many years experience, probably will have charge of the special services. Arch Carter, his singer and choir leader, is expected to arrive in Maryville tomorrow morning to assist in the religious campaign.

A special chorus of between thirty and forty voices is being prepared for the revival services. The church is

THE REV. L. M. HALE Baptist Pastor

otherwise preparing to house some of the largest evangelistic audiences Maryville has ever seen. A strong effort is being especially made by the church leaders to get the attendance of persons living in the city or nearby who are not affiliated with any church.

MRS. G. A. HARTMAN DIES.

Succombs to Month's Illness—Funeral to be Held Tomorrow.

Mrs. George A. Hartman died at 9:45 o'clock last night at the family residence, 622 East Fourth, after an illness of several weeks.

The funeral services will be held at the First Methodist church at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, conducted by the pastor, the Rev. Gilbert S. Cox. The interment will be made in Miriam cemetery.

With her family, Mrs. Hartman came to Maryville about nine years ago from Barnard where their home had been made for a great many years. Beside her husband, Mrs. Hartman is survived by nine children. They are the Misses Dena, Clarice and Frances Hartman, living at home and Chester Hartman of Great Falls, Mont., Mrs. A. C. Forney of Oelrich, S. D., Mrs. Vance Westfall of this city, Mrs. O. E. Miller, Nicholas and William Hartman of Barnard. Chester Hartman will arrive from Great Falls tomorrow morning to attend the funeral. Mrs. Forney is unable to come.

Returns to Columbia.

Mrs. Frank Grigsby of Columbia, who had been visiting her sister, Mrs. John Snapp, returned last night to her home. Mrs. Snapp has been very ill for several weeks but is improving. Another sister, Mrs. Belle Perdew of Sterling, Kan., who is at the Snapp home will remain longer.

Masons Change Officers.

The installation of the new officers for the year, was held by the Skidmore lodge of Mason last night. A banquet followed. Ira E. Porter heads the official body with the title of worshipful master.

Sunday Services at First M. E. Church

10:45 a. m. Subject of sermon "A Constraining Love." Anthem "O Come to My Heart" Ambrose. Solo "Consider and Hear Me" Wooler. 7:30 p. m. Subject of sermon, "Two Doors." Anthem "O Be Joyful" Shackley. Solo "I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say" Rathbun.

REMEMBER YOU STILL HAVE TIME TO ENTER

the

Christmas Savings Club

at the

Farmers Trust Co.

SUE TARDY PAYERS

CITY COUNCIL WOULD COLLECT REMAING POLL TAX.

CITY AFFAIRS ARE GOOD

Reports of Various Departments Show Municipal Business is Good—Police Court Nets $38 December.

More suits against tardy poll tax payers of Maryville will be brought within a few days, as a result of the action of the city council in regular session last night. It instructed Deputy City Collector Harold Selecman to prepare to bring suits against those delinquent in tax payments to the city. At present there are sixteen such cases but it is believed several of these will pay today or Monday. Those that do not however, will be sued, it is said.

Eleven suits against delinquent poll tax payers were recently filed by the city. A few days later all but two paid the regular tax in addition to costs in the cases.

The city had received about $10,000 of the $14,000 in real estate and personal property tax, this morning, according to Collector Selecman. A 1 per cent penalty now goes on tax unpaid. An additional 1 per cent will be added each month.

J. H. Killion was reappointed night patrolman for thirty days, by the council. A license was granted for one year to the new management of the skating rink over the Knox garage.

The city appropriated $20 for January to the charity board for use in alleviating the suffering among the poor of Maryville or in administering to those unable to pay for medical treatment. The city gave $15 last month.

The report of Police Judge U. S. Wright last night, shows that the city received $38 in fines during the month of December out of eight cases. The costs were $6.10 in each case. Of the seven fines one was for $10, five for $5, one for $2 and one for $1.

The reports of the various city officials for the month of December show that the city is in good condition in all departments and that the revenues are as great or greater than in the same month of 1913. All reports were approved. The annual reports will not be submitted by the various municipal departments until the February meeting of the council.

RECOVERS FROM WOUNDS.

Allendale Youth, Relative of Nodaway Residents, Shot Twice, Reported Better.

Chancel Conn of Allendale, who was shot and dangerously wounded by Laurie Murray, last week, is making a slow recovery at Ensworth hospital, St. Joseph, according to W. A. Conn of Ravenwood, an uncle of the youth. Chancel is also a relative of Probate Judge William H. Conn of this city.

Young Conn was shot twice—once in the stomach and once in the breast.

RESISTED OFFICER, CHARGE.

Negro Also Was Drunk, City Claims—To Trial Monday on Both Counts.

Bert Martin, a negro, pleaded not guilty to having resisted Night Patrolman J. H. Killion last night while drunk, when he was arraigned before Police Judge U. S. Wright this morning. His trial was set for 1 o'clock Monday afternoon in police court. He is charged with drunkenness and also with having resisted an officer.

Tony Hutchison of Graham, pleaded guilty to a charge of drunkenness and was fined $2 and costs, this being his first offense, he claimed.

OVERRULES COST MOTION.

Daniel Halasey Wins Counter Move in Circuit Court Today.

A motion of John Halasey, one of the plaintiffs in a partition suit docketed in the circuit court to subject the distributive share of Daniel Halasey to the payment of a judgment recently decided against Daniel Halasey for costs, was overruled by Judge W. C. Ellison this morning, in a special court session. This virtually ends that counter move, although the original litigation is expected to continue.

The suit in question is that of John Halasey and others against Abigail Halasey and others.

To Visit at Parnell.

Mrs. M. A. Muse left this afternoon for Parnell to spend the week end visiting relatives.

Visited in St. Joseph.

Roy Martin left yesterday for St. Joseph on a business trip.

HOLIDAY NEAR END

PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND BUSINESS COLLEGE BEGIN MONDAY.

NORMAL BEGINS LATER

State Students Take Up Studies Tuesday—Nodaway College Youths, Home Xmas, Prepare to Leave

After a vacation which began about ten days ago, students of the public grade and high schools of the city, of the Maryville Business College and of the State Normal School, will resume their studies next Monday and Tuesday. The Normal students will get the longest holiday vacation. They quit their studies December 23 and will not resume that work until Tuesday.

The students of the public schools here and of the business college will go back to the studies Monday morning—bright and early. Most of the Normal students who have been out of town during the Yuletide season will return to Maryville tomorrow and Monday in order to prepare for the Tuesday's classes.

College Youth's Return.

Those Nodaway county youths who have been home on a vacation from college and universities in the state and out of the state, also are preparing to return to the educational work next week. Most of them came home for the Christmas dinner and will remain until tomorrow. The Nodaway county students of the University of iMssouri will resume their studies the first of next week.

A majority of the rural schools of the county likewise will resume operations Monday after a ten days to two weeks vacation. Some of the rural schools which closed December 18 for the Christmas holidays, have resumed but most of them did not close until December 24.

KNIGHT TEMPLARS INSTALL

Eminent Sir Bean, Grand Inspector, To Officiate Monday Night.

The installation ceremonies for the newly elected officers of Maryville Commandery No. 40 of Nnight Templars will be held in the Masonic hall Monday night. The change of officers will be made at that time. Eminent Sir W. Y. Bean of Kansas City, grand inspector of Missouri, will attend and officiate at the installation ceremonies.

A social time is planned after the installation. C. C. Hellmers heads the commandery as eminent commander to succeed Charles Hyslop. The other new officers are: Generalissimo, U. S. Wright to succeed C. C. Hellmers; captain general, E. E. Williams, to succeed U. S. Wright; senior warden, Dr. F. C. Wallis, to succeed E. E. Williams; junior warden, W. J. Montgomery, to succeed Dr. F. C. Wallis; prelate, Edward Hamlin, to succeed himself; recorder, W. H. Hudson, to succeed himself; treasurer, George B. Baker, to succeed himself.

PARCEL POST BROUGHT DINNER.

Ravenwood Couple Dine on New Jersey Cooking, Which Comes by Mail.

The uses to which the parcel post accomodation may be put has been further demonstrated to the absolute satisfaction of one Ravenwood couple. Here is how it was brought about according to the Ravenwood Gazette:

Dr. D. J. Hunterson and wife were more than surprised last Sunday when they received a package of parcel post sent to them by Dr. Hunterson's sister, Mrs. Alice Entrekin of Camden, New Jersey. On opening the package they found two dinners well cooked and ready for the table, one consigned to the doctor and the other to Mrs. Hunterson.

The dinner for Mrs. Hunterson consisted of a nice large head of lettuce, accompanied by several bunches of green onions and radishes, and Jersey sweet potatoes. Mrs. Entrekin knowing her brother's failing, sent him a dozen extra fried oysters with all the necessary trimmings that go with a dinner of this kind.

Winners

In the Empire Contest will be shown on the Screen

Tonight

TO GIVE VOCAL DUET

Feature Tomorrow's Band Concert With Number by Miss Scott and Her Guest.

The regular weekly concert to be given by the Maryville band in the Empire theatre beginning at 3:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, will be featured by a vocal duet, "Whispering Hope," by Miss Bess Scott of this city and Miss Gladys Keyser of Brookfield, who made such a hit in the Elks cabaret dinner Thursday night. The remainder of tomorrow's program follows:

March—Chicago Tribune..Chambers
Overture—Barber of Seville..Rossini
Intermezzo—Witchery.....Moore
The Black Man.....Sousa
(From the Suite, "The Dwellers of the Western World."
Humoreske.....Dvorak
Patrol—The Blue and Grey..Dalbey
March—Daughters of AmericaLampe

VALUES GO DOWN

JACKSON TOWNSHIP ASSESSMENT DECREASES $38,540 IN YEAR.

LAND WORTH $818,985

Real Estate of 1913 Worth $33,245 More Than Last Year. Ravenwood Lots Bring More.

Jackson township, including Ravenwood, had real estate worth $818,985, and personal property worth $239,325 last spring, according to a report submitted to County Clerk George W. Demott today by J. K. Yeary, assessor of Jackson township. This is a total decrease over the assessed valuation of 1913 of $38,540, when real estate was valued at $852,230 and personal property at $244,620.

The report shows that Jackson township has an acreage of 46,822 outside of Ravenwood which is valued at $767,825 last year compared to $806,035 in 1913. Ravenwood lots were valued in 1914 at $51,160 compared to $46,195 in 1913. This last assessment is the only one showing an increase last year over 1913.

The country personal property was assessed last year at $205,230 compared to $207,866 in 1913. The Ravenwood personal holdings were valued in 1914 at $34,290, compared to $36,754 in 1913.

The personal property report of the townships outside of Ravenwood are as follows:

1,382 horses, valued at $58,890.
14 asses and jennets, valued at $715.
223 mules, valued at $10,915.
3432 cattle, valued at $61,335.
520 sheep, valued at $520.
2582 hogs, valued at $12,845.
Total number 8,153; total valuation $145,220.
Money, notes, etc $30,860.
Chattels $28,955.
Total $205,035.

APPEALS DAMAGE SUIT

Great Western Would Retry $100 Case Brought by Guilford Resident.

A damage suit for $100, appealed from justice court, was filed with Circuit Clerk Eugene Rathbun this morning by the Chicago Great Western railroad, which lost in the lower tribunal. The suit was brought by D. D. Henderson, a business man of Guilford, who alleged that the railroad negligently handled a car of sheep he shipped last August from Guilford to St. Joseph.

Ravenwood Agent Quits.

A. D. Nye of Bedford, Ia., who had been agent for the Chicago Great Western railroad at Ravenwood for the last three weeks, returned yesterday to his home.

BLOW TO BRITISH

SINKING OF FORMIDABLE WITH 600 CAUSES GRIEF.

TEUTONS CHANGE FRONT

Six Army Corps Withdrawn From War saw to Prepare Against Vistula Attack by Russians.

Paris, Jan. 2.—The British battleship, Formidable, was torpedoed both fore and aft by a German submarine off of Portsmouth. It sank almost immediately.

London, Jan. 2.—The sinking of the British battleship, Formidable, in the English channel, with 600 of the crew, as a result of being torpedoed by a German submarine, has caused widespread grief.

It is not the loss of the ship, as much as the loss of so many of some of Britian's most able sea fighters, that has put sorrow in the hearts of the British.

London, Jan. 2.—The Warsaw correspondent of the Times sends the report that six German army corps have withdrawn from that front, supposedly to guard against rumored plans of the Russians to make an attack across the Vistula line of communication between Lowichz and Thorn.

NEW COURT MEETS MONDAY.

County Tribunal, with Two New Members, Considers "Left-Over" Business.

The first meeting of the new county court will be held at the court house Monday. At that time the two new members, W. M. Blackford, presiding judge and Matt Farnan of the south district, will succeed John G. Thornhill and Floyd Westfall espectively.

They will take up the transaction of all county business left over by the old court which met for the last time Thursday. Nearly all the business of last year, including the payment of bills against the county, was finished by the retiring board, so that Monday's session is expected to be short.

MISS KILDOW DIES.

Body Will be Brought From Arizona Funeral Will be Held Here.

Miss Emma Kildow of this city died at 1:45 o'clock this morning at Prescott, Ariz. The body will be brought to Maryville for burial. Mrs. Katherine Miller, who went to Prescott about two months ago to be with Miss Kildow, and Mrs. Miller's son, Arthur Miller of Kansas City, who went to accompany his mother to Maryville, will leave Prescott with the body tonight. The time of their arrival in Maryville is uncertain. All funeral arrangements will be delayed until that time.

Miss Kildow was a sufferer with tuberculosis. She left this city about two years ago and had spent the time at various places in California and Arizona. During most of the time Mrs. Miller has been with Miss Kildow.

Miss Kildow was born in this city. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Kildow. Both parents died when she was a very small child and her home has been made with Mrs. Miller. She is a graduate of the city high school and of the Normal and was a member of the Sigma Delta Chi Sorority. An uncle of Miss Kildow, Rudolph Deschauer, is a resident of this city.

THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy tonight and Sunday. Warmer tonight.

Maryville Lyceum Association

THE SCHUMANN QUINTETTE

Tuesday, January 5, 8 p. m.

Christian Church Admission 75c

Paramount Pictures **MARY PICKFORD** **in Behind the Scenes**

Tuesday, January 5th, First Show Start[illegible] 7:15 sharp
Second Show starting at 8:35. 5 minutes [illegible] between shows. You can see a whole show if you arrive as [illegible] Kansas City o'clock. This schedule will be followed to the minute on all [illegible] of Mr. [illegible] page [illegible] her hot[illegible]nts

FERN THEATRE [illegible]ations w[illegible]

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TO REOPEN TRUST PROGRAM

Divorce of Railroads From Coal Mines Will Be Sought by Wilson.

Washington, Jan. 2.—President Wilson has decided to reopen his trust program and to make an effort to pass a measure at this session of congress strengthening the "commodities clause" of the interstate commerce act by requiring railroads to divorce themselves from concerns that manufacture, mine, produce, or deal in commodities transported by common carriers.

The measure was introduced by Representative Adamson of Georgia, largely as a result of the investigation into the operations of the Illinois coal roads completed last summer by the interstate commerce commission.

HOT SPRINGS SALOONS OPEN

That City Is Now the Only "Wet" Spot In Arkansas.

Little Rock, Ark., Jan. 2.—Hot Springs saloons were reopened and that city now is the only "wet" spot in the state. Saloons in all other cities are closed and under the statutes petitions containing a majority of the names of white adult citizens must be presented to the county court before they can secure licenses.

The Hot Springs petition contained about 3,600 names. The license was reissued without contest from the anti-liquor forces. Little Rock is expected to remain dry several weeks, as the petitions here still are said to be short of the number of signatures required.

Liquor Is One Great Cause of Poverty.

Topeka, Jan. 2.—Traffic in liquor was held to be one great cause of social poverty and economic waste by Harry G. McCain, extension secretary of the Methodist Temperance society, in an address here before the convention of the Intercollegiate Temperance association. A great force for improving social conditions, Mr. McCain said, lies in an organization of college men to work in the interests of prohibition.

Couple That Jumped Big Bond Taken.

New York, Jan. 2.—Francis H. Griffin, an attorney, and his wife, Clara H. Griffin, who are under federal indictment on the charge of having defrauded acquaintances of high social standing out of between $300,000 and $400,000, were brought back from Colorado Springs, whence they fled about a month ago forfeiting bail bond of $27,500. They were locked up in the Tombs.

OMAHA LIVESTOCK MARKET

Cattle Receipts Light and Prices Without Noteworthy Change.

South Omaha, Jan. 2.—Cattle—Receipts, 100; steady; beef steers, $5.75@9; cows and heifers, $4.30@7.25; stockers and feeders, $5.75@8.15; bulls, $5@6.75; calves, $7@9. Hogs—Receipts, 6,500; 5c higher; bulk of sales, $7.15@7.25; top, $7.30. Sheep—Receipts, 1,800; 10@15c higher; lambs, $7.50@8.75; wethers, $4.40@7.50; ewes, $4.25@5.85.

Appoint Son as Executor.

Upon recommendation made in her last will, Madison Young was appointed executor of the estate of Amanda Young, who died at her home on First street several weeks ago, by Probate Judge W. H. Conn. Madison Young is the eldest child. He lives in St. Joseph.

Visit Relatives Here.

Edward Wright of Fort Collins, Colo. who formerly taught school in Maryville and Nodaway county, arrived in the city today on a visit for a week or ten days with his mother, Mrs. Sarah E. Wright, and sister, Mrs. W. A. Blagg.

To Visit in Oklahoma.

W. H. Swinford left this morning for Watonga, Okla., where he will spend the remainder of the winter visiting his daughter, Mrs. A. C. Vickery.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

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FORMIDABLE IS SUNK, 600 LOST

British Battleship Torpedoed Fore and Aft.

ANNOUCEMENT OF ADMIRALTY.

Thus Far Only 150 Men Are Known to Have Been Saved of the Crew of 750 Aboard Fighting Craft—Vessel Cost About $5,000,000.

WAR BULLETINS

There is a paucity of news concerning the fighting on land, where the armies of the allies and the Germans are carrying out the maneuvers which have been in effect for many days. In the entrenched line in Flanders and France artillery duels and infantry attacks continue, but without decisive result. In Poland the Germans are trying to get through to Warsaw and the Russians are disputing vigorously their every move. North of the Vistula and along the East Prussian frontier fog envelops the armies and hinders their actions.

London, Jan. 2.—The outstanding feature of the war news continues to be the sinking by a mine or a torpedo in the channel of the British battleship Formidable, with a probable loss of 600 lives. Only 150 men of its crew of 750 are known to have been saved, as the vessel sank beneath the heavy waves kicked up by the gale that was raging. Eighty men were rescued with great difficulty by a British cruiser and seventy by a trawler. Eight officers and six midshipmen were among the rescued. The British admiralty has not made known the spot where the ship was blown up.

Neither has it made a definite assertion as to whether the disaster was due to the vessel striking a mine or to an attack by a German submarine.

Torpedoed Fore and Aft.

The Daily Chronicle states that survivors of the battleship Formidable report that the vessel was torpedoed both fore and aft and sank almost immediately. The Chronicle's Brixham correspondent, who is authority for the foregoing, says the captain of the trawler Providence, which rescued seventy survivors who had escaped from the battleship in a cutter, states that other fishing boats were close at hand. The captain expresses the belief that other survivors have been rescued and taken to Dartmouth. He saw no other boats belonging to the Formidable, however.

Rescue Work of Peril.

The rescue was made under dangerous and exciting circumstances. The crew of the trawler were amazed while running before the gale for shelter to find a small open boat driving under their lee through mountainous seas, with an oar hoisted bearing a sailor's scarf. After desperate efforts those on the trawler succeeded in getting a rope to the cutter and brought it with great skill to their stern.

The naval men began to jump aboard, but even then there was danger of losing men, as the seas were running thirty feet high. After a half hour's work, however, all were safely rescued. One lad of nineteen was so exhausted that he required immediate treatment to save his life. When all had left the cutter its rope was cut, as it was full of water, having a hole under its hull, which had been stuffed with a pair of trousers, of which one man had divested himself for the purpose.

The British battleship Formidable had a displacement of 15,000 tons. It was 430 feet long and carried a complement of 750 men. It was heavily armored and carried four twelve-inch guns, twelve six-inch guns and sixteen twelve-pounders. It was provided also with four submerged torpedo tubes, and cost more than $5,000,000.

Germany Holds All of Belgium.

Fighting on land is proceeding along virtually the same lines as during the last few days.

The close of the fifth month of the war finds Germany still in occupation of virtually the whole of Belgium, an important tract of French territory in the western theater of hostilities and a considerable slice of Russian Poland along the eastern battle front, a thousand miles away. It would appear, nevertheless, that Germany for the present at least is unable to make further headway.

Emperor Thanks Przemysl's Defenders

Vienna, Jan. 2.—The following message of greeting has been sent by the Austrian emperor to Przemysl garrison:

"His royal apostolic majesty views with heartfelt gratitude the spirited allegiance of the garrison at Przemysl. In the splendid resistance of its defenders the emperor perceives the calm security with which the Przemysl fort will successfully resist the enemy."

Must Carry No Other Cargo.

Washington, Jan. 2.—Ambassador Page cabled the state department from London that the British foreign office had informed him British naval authorities hereafter would undertake to facilitate ... passage to Rotterdam ... ships as contain ... the Belgian re...

Sunday Services at Local Churches

First Church of Christ, Scientist.
206 South Main street.
Sunday school 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship 11:00 o'clock. Subject of lesson sermon, "God."
No evening service.
Mid week service Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.
Reading room in Michau building open each afternoon from 2 till 5 p. m.
Everyone invited to all services.

First Christian Church.
Robert L. Finch, pastor.
Begin the new year aright by attending church.
Our Bible school hour is 9:30 a. m. New officers will be in charge tomorrow. Make your plans to attend.
Morning subject, "Reconciliation."
Evening sermon subject, "What Must I do to be Saved?"
There will be special music at all services. Mrs. H. C. Todd will sing in the morning and an anthem by the choir in the evening. Evening services begins at 7:30.
You are cordially welcome.

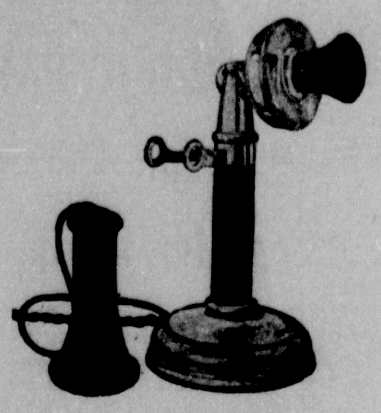
First Methodist Church.
Gilbert S. Cox, pastor.
Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.
Morning worship at 10:45. Subject of the sermon, "Love That Constraineth." Choir anthem, "O Come to My Heart, Lord Jesus," by Ambrose.
Solo, "Consider and Hear Me," by by Wooler.
The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be given at the close of the sermon
Epworth League at 6:30 p. m., subject of sermon, "Promises of a Redeemer," Leader, Clifton White.
Evening song service at 7:30 o'clock. Subject of sermon, "Two Doors."
Anthem, "O Be Joyful," by Shackley. "I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say," by Rathbun.

Buchanan Street Methodist Church
John H. Hubbard, pastor.
All on time at Sunday school tomorrow is our motto.
Our protracted meeting begins tomorrow. Rev. W. B. Lewellyn of Grayson, will be in charge of the services, taking the pulpit tomorrow morning and evening. Mr. Lewellyn is a man of large experience and has been a great soul winner. We are praying and hoping that his coming among us will be a great blessing, but it will not be unless we shall avail ourselves of the privileges it offers. The way to get the desired good is to be present in a prayerful spirit. Let us build the fire of the grace of God in our own hearts and others will come with us.

First Baptist Church.
Lewis M. Hale, pastor.
Bible school 9:30 a. m. If you want to start right, start to Bible school in time to be there at nine-thirty.
Morning worship 11:00 a. m. Sermon subject, "Deep Sea Fishing." Music in charge of Arch C. Carter, gospel singer for Evangelist A. E. Burch.
B. Y. P. U. 6:30 p. m. Help the B. Y. P. U. with your presence.
Evening worship 7:30 p. m. Sermon subject, "What Prayer Reveals."
Our meetings begin at this time, and we are anxious for the co-operation of all who are interested in the salvation of men. This is a personal invitation to you come and help us. We expect Evangelist Burch with us Monday evening. Services each evening 7:30 p. m.

First Presbyterian Church.
Samuel D. Harkness, pastor.
Sunday school at 9:45.
Morning worship at 11 o'clock. The hour is the time for holy communion and the reception of new members. There will be special organ music and a solo, "Hear Our Cry," Briggs, by Miss Nellie Wray. The subject of the pastor's sermon will be, "A Communion Meditation."
The Young People's Club meeting at 6:30 o'clock will be a consecration service in charge of Miss Jessie Parcher.
At the evening hour of worship the sermon subject will be, "Why Faith Breaks Down." There will be singing by a male quartet and special organ numbers by Prof. H. B. Schuler of the Maryville Conservatory, who has been employed as organist and choir director. Mr. Schuler begins his work with the Sunday service. Starting next Sunday, the pastor will take up a supplementary series of sermons on "The Approaches of God," following the series of four given on that subject in December.

Alliance to Meet.
The Ministerial Alliance will meet at 10:30 o'clock Monday morning in the study of the Buchanan Street Methodist church.
Rev. S. D. Harkness, Chairman.



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IN WISHING YOU
A Happy New Year

The HANAMO Telephone Company also thanks you for your patronage during 1914. Today there are more Hanamo Telephones in use in Maryville than a year ago, which bespeaks Maryville's prosperity in the face of adverse conditions elsewhere.

Last year the Hanamo Telephone Company expended several thousand dollars for extensions and improvements—not only to maintain the excellence of service but to better it where possible. It predicts for 1915 a wider range of useful service, due both to improved equipment on its part and to the well deserved prosperity of all who live and do business in and around Maryville.

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The System That Gets You Anywhere Over Long Distance

SOON BREAKS RESOLUTION

County Treasurer W. R. Tilson Couldn't Resist Temptation to Smoke.

W. R. Tilson, county treasurer, always tries to be a better man, just as many others are wont to do.

So shortly before the passage of 1914 into 1915 yesterday, the honorable Tilson proclaimed to Madame Tilson, the glad tidings that, beginning at midnight yesterday, he would thenceforth and thereafter quit the use of the "vile weed." In other words he decided to resolve to quit smoking, just as many other men do the first of each year.

Tilson smokes a pipe almost continually during the waking hours—that is when he hasn't got a cigar.

But Tilson is strong minded and his will power is one of the marvels around the court house where Tilson spends most of his daylight hours.

Being a "public servant" Tilson has many cigars given to him.

But despite all this temptation, Sir Tilson had every reason to belive that he could throw aside the awful habit, but he reckoned without his host, just as those men did in Rudyard Kipling's "Recessional" and with about the same result.

However when Collector Tilson passed from the Tilson household yesterday morning, without having first taken his customary after-breakfast smoke Frau Tilson laid laurels at Sir Tilson's feet and placed a bejeweled crown on his brow.

But the devil—omnipresent that he is always—laid a snare for Tilson—and Tilson fell—just as you and I have often done. He met a friend soon after leaving his home.

"Have a cigar with my compliments and a wish for a new year."

"Thanks," said Tilson.

The cigar went to Tilson's mouth. A match was lighted, smoke began to issue.

Tilson was at peace with the world and the resolution was forgotten.

Before the noon hour had come yesterday, Tilson had been treated to four perfectly good cigars. None were left however. They had gone their route with Tilson at the helm.

And today is Mr. Tilson's forty-eighth birthday!!

But Sir Tilson is not down cast nor dejected—oh, no! He will try again.

This is but one instance of many similar cases the first of each year.

Resumes Studies at University.

Herschel Colbert will leave Sunday morning for Columbia to resume his studies at the University of Missouri, after a week's visit with his parents, Prof. and Mrs. George H. Colbert.

Mrs. M. E. Smith of Pickering spent the day visiting friends in this city.

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THE DIAMOND BRAND.
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chi-ches-ter's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHI-CHES-TER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable
SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

New Year's Greeting

IN this the beginning of the New Year we want to thank our many friends for the business they have given us during the year just ended. Our business for the past year has been very satisfactory to us, yet without your help it would not have been. While we always tried to be straight with you all in our dealings, we are surely glad that you appreciate it by giving us your business. We now hope you will be as loyal and if possible more so to us and all the business men of our city during the coming year as you were in the one just past. So that we may be a prosperous little City and community as well. We might possibly each get along without the other, but I am sure could get along much BETTER with each other. Now let us all put our shoulder to the wheel, and pull and work together and make this the BEST CITY and COUNTY in old Missouri. Wishing you all the most happy and prosperous year of your lives we are Yours as ever.

PRICE and McNEAL

SHERIDAN MAY GET PASTOR.

'Want-Ad' Minister to "Try-Out" to Christians Next Week.

After inserting "want-ad." in two religious papers for a pastor and getting forty responses, the board of the Christian church at Sheridan has decided to give one of the applicants a try-out. The Rev. Mr. Borden of Gentry will preach at the Sheridan church January 8, 9 and 10. The board will then decide whether to retain him as pastor or try out another applicant.

SUES FOR $331 ON NOTE.

Barnard Man Says Guilford Resident Failed to Pay as Promised.

A suit for $331.80 and 8 per cent interest on the principal since last March, was filed in circuit court this afternoon in which the plaintiff is Fred R. Stalling of Barnard. The defendant is Bert Miller of Guilford.

G. E. Davis in Hospital .

George E. Davis, of Alvord, Ia., a son of George Davis of this city is at a hospital in Sioux Falls, S. D., seriously ill. Mr. Davis underwent an operation for appendicitis Tuesday and is doing as well as could be hoped for at present. He is engaged in the banking business at Alvord.

Get First License of Year.

The first marriage license of the year was granted in the office of the recorder of deeds by the new recorder, Dan R. Baker, today to Fred Carnot Parks, 27 years old, of Minonk, Ill., and Amanda J. Shepherd, 26 years old, who lives near Elmo.

W. R. C. to Meet.

The Women's Relief Corps is requested to meet at 1:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon in the basement of the First Methodist church to attend in a body the funeral of Mrs. G. A. Hartman to be held at 2 o'clock. By order of

Mrs. Eliza J. Black,
President.

Home From St. Joseph Visit.

Mrs. Newton Hagins returned yesterday from a visit of several days in St. Joseph, where she was the guest of her sister Mrs. Charles Branson and family.

Winter Clothing at

Sacrifice Prices

I want to clean up my stock of all Heavy Winter Clothing and Furnishing Goods and in order to do this have made some very low prices—so low that you cannot afford to pass this chance. Come in and look over the line—You will be sure to find something you want during this sale.

Clark Weaver
W. Third St.

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Maybe possessed by people who never suspect it.

Many people suffer constantly from eye strain who have never guessed just what the trouble is,

Everyone should find out if their eyes are normal and this may be done easily and quickly by calling on us.

Besides detecting errors, we correct them with properly fitted lenses.

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a very happy and prosperous New Year

The Engelmann Greenhouses
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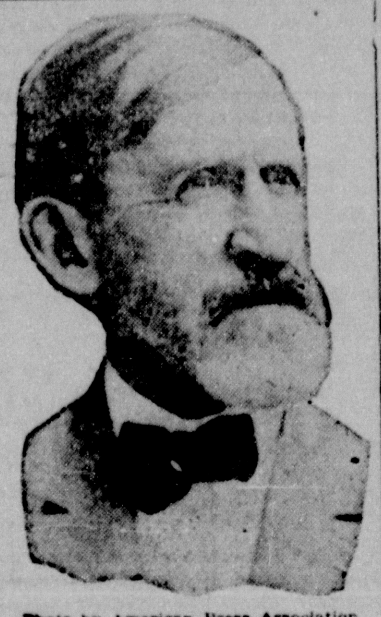
SENATOR JOHN W. KERN.

Party Leader Will Try to Save President's Program in the Senate.



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SIXTEEN PERSONS INJURED IN WRECK

Burlington and Rock Island Trains Collide Head-On.

Liberty, Mo., Jan. 2.—Sixteen persons were injured, two dangerously when Burlington train No. 4 from Kansas City collided head-on with Rock Island passenger train No. 3 from Chicago, a half mile west of Liberty.

J. L. Handley of Oklahoma City was injured internally and R. J. Edwards of Cameron, Mo., the Burlington engineer, who was caught in his cab, suffered internal injuries. His right arm was broken and he was badly scalded.

A misunderstanding of orders is believed to have caused the collision. The Rock Island train was waiting for the Burlington train to take the switch. The Burlington train rounded a curve at full speed and the crash followed.

BELGIAN RELIEF WORK

Van Dyke Turns Over Cash to Netherlands Red Cross.

The Hague, Jan. 2.—Henry Van Dyke, American minister to the Netherlands, turned over to the Netherlands Red Cross society the sum of $1,400 given him for this purpose by the St. Nicholas society of New York. During the last two days Mr. Van Dyke has caused to be distributed thirty-seven boxes of clothing, blankets, etc., donated by various American societies for destitute Belgians in Holland.

Mr. Van Dyke has been active in behalf of the importation into the Netherlands of cottonseed oil, an American product, which, though undoubtedly a food, is not as yet on the British contraband list. Mr. Van Dyke wishes to clear the status of cottonseed oil in order to eliminate possible ensuing difficulties should its importation be undertaken.

Negroes Try to Lynch Negro.

Charleston, Mo., Jan. 2.—A gang of negro levee workmen attempted to lynch one of their number here because he had stabbed the foreman, a white man. A passing train crew interfered and saved the negro after the gang had placed a rope around his neck, preparatory to hanging him.

General Bell at Galveston.

Galveston, Jan. 2.—Brigadier General George Bell, Jr., arrived here to assume command of the Fifth brigade in camp at Fort Crockett, relieving Colonel Millard F. Waltz of the Nineteenth infantry.

Revolution Breaks Out In Paraguay.

Buenos Aires, Jan. 2.—A revolution has broken out in Paraguay, an artillery regiment having taken the field. Dr. Eduardo Sherer, president of the republic, is a prisoner.

AFTER AMBULANCE CHASERS' TRUST

New York, Jan. 2.—A campaign against the "ambulance chasers' trust," so called by District Attorney Martin of the Bronx, was begun by the arrest of Dennis Murray, foreman of linemen for the New Haven railroad, at his home in Bridgeport, Conn., on a warrant charging perjury. He was released on $7,500 bail by Judge Gibbs of the Bronx county court.

A confession obtained from Murray, according to the police, and backed by other evidence, it is alleged, revealed that an organization of influential lawyers exists for the purpose of suing large corporations, particularly the New Haven road, for slight or imaginary injuries in accident cases. The members of the "trust," District Attorney Martin said, generally have settled these cases out of court for large damages, 50 per cent of which invariably went to the lawyers.

The Boss Is Out of Town

Trade With The Haines Bunch And Make Money

Remember the January Clearing Sale Commenced Today.....

Great Reductions All Through The House

When You Think of Dry Goods, Think of

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The Store That Is Always Anxious To Please You

(By The Haines Bunch Without The Boss)

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Give New Year's Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Weddell of Quitman were the hosts of a New Year's dinner party yesterday at which their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harvey England and family.

Country Club Feast.

The Country Club will give its annual New Year's celebration by having an oyster supper tonight at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Job, west of the city.

For Miss Burks.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Scott entertained last night complimentary to their house guest, Miss Mayme Burks, of Mound City. The additional guests were Miss Grace Langan, William G. Sawyers and Orlo Quinn.

Installation Postponed.

The installation of officers of the Women's Relief Corps which was to have been held this afternoon has been postponed until a later date. The postponement is made because of the death of one of their number, Mrs. George A. Hartman.

Watch Night Party.

One of the jolly watch night parties of New Year's eve was given in the Royal Hall of Skidmore, by a crowd of young people. The affair was planned by Miss Leora Hitchcock, Miss Marjorie Stephens and Miss Sylvia Hughes. About forty guests were entertained.

To Celebrate Birthday.

To observe the birthday anniversary of their niece, Miss Lillian Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Colvin gave a dinner party yesterday noon. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Carpenter, Misses Dora, Winnifred, Katherine Lillian and Mary Carpenter and Fleming Carpenter.

Mr. and Mrs. Fields Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Fields of Barnard, were the hosts of a dinner party given at noon yesterday when their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stalling, Mr. and Mrs. George Cole and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Burnes and family, Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Larabee, Mrs. Nancy Cole, Thomas Cook and daughter, La Verna.

Enjoy New Year's Feast.

The Rev. and Mrs. S. D. Harkness enjoyed an unexpected New Year's pleasure when they were given a surprise dinner by a large party of the rural members of the church. The crowd came to the Manse about noon, bringing with them baskets packed with every delicacy of the season and the feast was enjoyed together. Those in the company were Mrs. M. E. Long, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sawyers and family, Mr. and Mrs. Will Scott and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Snider, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Neff and family and their guest, Mr. Wilbur; Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Watson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Scott and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Scott and family, Mrs. Winfield Scott, Mr. and Mrs. John K. Sawyers and family, Mrs. R. G. Richey, Mrs. Elizabeth Clayton, Miss Elizabeth Sawyers and W. G. Sawyers.

Gives Turkey Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McCoppin went to Bolckow yesterday where they were guests at a turkey dinner given by Mrs. McCoppin's mother, Mrs. J. W. Houghtaling. The other guests present were the Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Moody and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Dougan, and two sons; Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Dougan, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Houghtaling and two children of Bolckow.

The Misses Davis Entertain.

The Misses Ruth and Lucy Davis gave a dinner last night entertaining a party of relatives to celebrate the New Year's day. The table flowers were pink carnations and plates were laid for Mrs. Edward McMillan, Mrs. Charles Mulholland, Mrs. M. G. Tate, George S. Baker, George Davis, Don D. Davis and the hostesses.

Dinner at Pleasant View Farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tabler were the hosts of a New Year's dinner party given at their home, Pleasant View Farm yesterday when they entertained Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Childress, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Mason and daughter, Mrs. Cora Trullinger and Miss Helen Trullinger.

Dinner at West Lawn.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hounold Bellows were the hosts of a dinner given last night at their home, West Lawn Farm, when plates were laid for Miss Docia Jackson of Memphis, Tenn., Miss Grace O'Malley of Albany and Fred Wolfers of Kansas City. Miss Jackson is a house guest at the Bellows home.

Pinnel-Bock.

Miss Avis Pinnell, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Pinnell and H. F. Bock of Omaha, were married Christmas day at Omaha. The bride's sister, Miss Dorris Pinnell of this city, returned yesterday from Omaha, where she went to attend the wedding. Mrs. Bock, previous to her marriage had been employed at the office of Sutherland Bros., in Omaha. The newly weds will make their home in that city.

Line Party.

Miss Virginia Robinson and Miss Mary Wooldridge entertained the Will-o-the-Whisp club last night, with a line party at the Empire, followed by a luncheon at the Reuillard cafe. This evening Miss Mabel Curnutt and Miss Elfreida Linville will entertain the club at the home of Miss Curnutt, concluding a series of parties which have been enjoyed during the holidays. The club includes Misses Elizabeth Leet, Elfreida Linville, Lillian Carpenter, Mary Wooldridge, Virginia Robinson, Mabel Curnutt, Mildred Bellows and Marie Wright.

In Honor of Visiting Guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Hall, living west of the city, gave a dinner party at noon yesterday complimentary to Mrs. Hall's mother, Mrs. T. P. Baughman, of Camden Point, who is visiting at their home. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Trullinger, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Noakes, Mr. and Mrs. John White and daughter, Clydell, and Mr. and Mrs. William Job.

Dining at French Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Harley French entertained the various members of the family yesterday with a delightful New Year's dinner at their home on West Fourth street. Plates were laid for Mrs. Charles Lippman and son, Cyrus, of St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Eckles, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Lippman, Mrs. M. A. Martin, Mrs. Lizette Lippman, Miss May French, Miss Ora Eckles, Don Martin and Mr. and Mrs. French and son.

Mrs. Welch Hostess.

Mrs. J. T. Welch was the hostess of a New Year's dinner party given yesterday noon in compliment to her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Andrews of St. Joseph. Plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Ed L. Andrews, Mrs. I. V. McMillen, Miss Mary Louise Andrews, Miss Helen Welch, Charles Andrews and the hostess. Mr. Andrews returned home this morning and Mrs. Andrews will remain until the first of the week.

Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Moon entertained with a twelve o'clock dinner on New Year's day to celebrate their thirty-first wedding anniversary. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Reese, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Edelbert Moon, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bratcher and children of Pickering, Mrs. Virgil Moon, Harold Moon, Glen Moon and the hosts.

Taffy Pull Party.

The Hustlers and the Boy Scouts classes of the Harmony Church were entertained with an old fashioned "taffy pull" party in the basement of the church Wednesday evening. Those present which included the class members and a few visitors were Misses Marie Lewis, Charlotte Green, Mildred Trullinger, Mary Marshall, Ruby Ridlon, Estelle Lawson, Eva Lawson, Ruth Houchens, Marie Kime, Gladys Lawson, Gladys Parent, Florence Trullinger, and Miss Wilda Anderson, George Lewis, Vilas Porter, Porter Kessler, Virgil Kessler, Carl Porter, Morrison Lawson, Willis Parent, Floren Porter and Clyde Anderson.

Euchre Party.

Mrs John Eldon Bailey entertained with an euchre party last night as a courtesy to Miss Eva Montgomery of St. Joseph, who has been spending the holiday week visiting Mrs. J. S. Shinabargar. The prize for the high score a bunch of pink carnations went to Mrs. Lafe Allender. A pink and white luncheon was served after the games, Mrs. Frank Garrett and Miss Gertrude Condon assisting the hostess. The guests were Miss Montgomery, Mrs. J. C. Allender, Mrs. John Clary, Mrs. Lafe C. Allender of Atlantic, Ia., Mrs. John Richey, Mrs. R. G. Koch, Mrs. J. S. Shinabargar, Mrs. Frank Garrett, Misses Stella, Frances and Eleanor Smith, Miss Nelle Hudson, Miss Nora Ritze and Miss Gertrude Condon.

Keeps "Open House."

One of the smart affairs of the week was given yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Leslie Errol Dean and Mrs. Emmett Foster Scott, who held "open house" at the Dean home, extending New Year's greetings to two hundred friends during the receiving hours from 2:30 to 4:30. The rooms were gaily decorated in keeping with the spirit of the occasion with a wealth of red and green garlands and holly wreaths, interspersed with red bells. In the dining room the table was spread with cluny and centered with a tall vase of red carnations, surrounded by a wreath of tiny red candles in crystal holders tied with perky bows of red tulle. The collation served was carried out in the prevailing colors. Miss Mayme Burks of Mound City, the guest of Mrs. Scott received with the hostesses. A victrola program was presented during the entertaining hours. The assisting friends were Mrs. George B. Baker Mrs. S. G. Gillam, Mrs. George Robert Eaton, Mrs. Gilbert S. Cox, Mrs. M. G. Tate, Mrs. C. D. Koch, Mrs. R. W. Pettit, Mrs. E. R. Utter, Mrs. Robert Bruce Montgomery, Mrs. J. C. Allender, Mrs. William Wade Smith, Mrs. R. S. Branger, Mrs. Thomas L. Wadley, Miss Dale Hoffman, Miss Glen Hotchkiss, Miss Grace Langan, Miss Ora Barmann and Miss Marjorie Wilfley. Among the out of town guests, other than Miss Burks, were Mrs. L. A. Stillwagon, of St. Petersburg, Fla., who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Robert Eaton, and Mrs. M. C. Guinn and Miss Mary Guinn of Bedison and Mrs. L. C. Allende of Atlantic, Ia.

We wish to [illegible] our thanks and appreciation for the kind sympathy and help of our friends during the sickness and death of four loving husband and son, and also for the beautiful floral offerings.

Mrs. Claude Campbell.
A. M. Campbell and Family.
James Pixler and Family.

Show Views at Burlington.

The final depiction of the stereopticon slides showing activities at the University of Missouri, which has been in progress over Nodaway county the last two weeks under the direction of Charles Kane of this city, was held at Burlington Junction last night. It is said to have attracted a large crowd.

[illegible] Kansas City.

Mr. [illegible] of Kansas City, who [illegible] of Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] her home yester[illegible] page

What Are You Doing To Boost Prosperity?

Peaceful America now has the greatest chance that any nation ever had to reach out and grasp a limitless trade. Prosperity for the United States is the logical result of the gigantic war in Europe.

What are you doing as a merchant or manufacturer to open your doors to the flood of trade that will be developed for us, by the very thing that is forcing other nations to the ground.

Are you showing the outward visible life of your business, your advertising in your daily newspaper, or are you showing a lack of confidence by a lack of advering, the advance agent of small orders and loss of customers.

The man who curtails advertising, the great foundation of business, is falling before the counsel of the weakling pessimist, and sinking his own ship.

Will you be one of those who look over a temporary loss, and show your confidence in the big new era of business for the United States, by the recognized advance agent of prosperity—advertising?

You, as a business man, are the one to boost. As you the business men of America think so are the customers of the business men of America sure to think. The live merchant and manufacturer is going out to meet business, to boost prosperity.

His name will be before the public. The columns of the daily newspaper pave the way. Are you going to boost prosperity? As you think so will your customers think.

In Honor of Miss Burks.

The Misses Irene and Hazel Burks of Pickering entertained a party of friends last night for the pleasure of their sister, Miss Marie Burks of Allendale, who has been spending the holidays with home folks. A bob sled ride was participated in for the first part of the evening's fun. Progressive dominoe games followed after which supper was served. The game prize was awarded to Miss Goldie Barnes of Lenox, Iowa, and the consolation favor to Miss Eugenie Hull. About forty five were entertained. Among the visiting guests were Miss Barnes, Miss Goldie Carmichael and Miss Donna Lamar of Elmo. During the evning the Misses Burks were assisted by William Bosch and Miss Ida Bosch.

Called by Mother's Death.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Moore, who live south of the city, left here last night for Witten, S. D., where they were summoned by the death of Mrs. Moore's mother, Mrs. Howard Lon, who died Friday morning after an illness of three weeks.

Mrs. Long was formerly Miss Fannie Deering. The family moved to Dakota eight years ago. She is survived by her husband and five boys and four girls. Mrs. Moore is the eldest child.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Returns to St. Joseph.

Miss Eva Montgomery, a teacher in the St. Joseph schools, who has been spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Shinabargar, left this afternoon for her home.

Home to Red Oak.

Mrs. Hamilton Turner and sons of Red Oak, Ia., who have been visiting Mrs. Turner's mother, Mrs. Katherine Woods, left this morning for their home.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

DUCHESS OF MANCHESTER

Report Says She Will Claim Entire Estate Of Deceased Father.

Photo by American Press Association.

Returns to Okmulgee.

Miss Hildred Hanna who is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Hanna, will leave this afternoon for Okmulgee, Okla., where she is employed in the city schools.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

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WILSON AGAINST LITERACY TEST

Will Veto Immigration Bill if Clause Hung On.

HOUSES WILL NOT BACK UP.

Many Expect Congress to Pass Measure In Spite of Disapproval of Executive—It Is Thought Both Bodies Will Get Together Over Matter.

Washington, Jan. 2.—Congress met today after the New Year's holiday with the immigration bill pending in the senate as the paramount subject of legislation.

It is the purpose of senate leaders to bring the measure to a vote on its passage before adjournment. That it will be passed, including the literacy test, is assured, although the test provision is still open to amendment.

Strong indications came from the White House that President Wilson would veto the measure if congress submitted it to him in its present form. President Taft vetoed a similar measure in 1913, because of the literacy test. The senate passed the bill over the veto, but in the house the motion to repass the measure failed by a few votes to get the necessary two-thirds majority.

The president does not believe the literacy test is a test of the quality of an immigrant.

Whether the president is to veto the measure seems to make little difference now to its champions and there are many now who predict that the bill can be passed this time in both houses over an executive disapproval. The vote of 47 to 12 in senate against eliminating the literacy test was generally accepted as a test vote. House leaders do not anticipate much trouble in the conference on senate amendments thus far adopted, including the Reed amendment to exclude persons of African blood or of the negro race.

In the house discussion was renewed on the Indian appropriation bill. Committees on the seaman's bill will be appointed by both houses.

Before the senate Philippine committee ex-President Taft is scheduled to appear to discuss the bill for enlarging the measure of Philippine self government.

Visiting at Omaha.

Miss Beulah McCoppin left yesterday for Omaha where she will be the guest of friends until Sunday night.

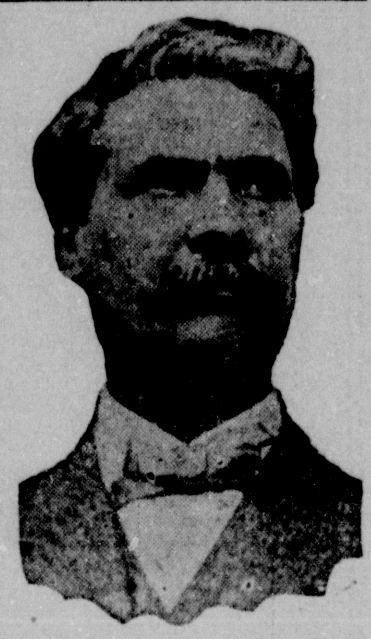
To Meet Monday Night.

The session of the First Presbyterian church will hold its regular meeting at the Manse Monday evening.

FOR SALE—5 year old Jack, 15 hands, extra good breeder. Priced cheap. T. J. McClothen, Barnard, phone 11-11. 2-4.

GOVERNOR COLE BLEASE.

His Last Batch of Pardons Brings Total Up to Fifteen Hundred.



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THINKS THIS YEAR WILL SEE END OF WAR

Poincare Expresses Belief Struggle Will Be Over Before 1916.

Paris, Jan. 2.—The belief that the year just begun will see the ending of the war was expressed by President Poincare in an address to members of the diplomatic corps who went to the palace of the Elysee to present New Year's congratulations to him.

"I do not doubt that next year, at this traditional reception, we shall celebrate together the establishment of a beneficent peace, which, solidly based on rectitude and respect for international treaties, will give necessary security to the nations," said the president.

The British ambassador, Sir Francis Bertie, as dean of the diplomatic corps, presented the congratulations of his colleagues and himself. In his address Sir Francis remarked five diplomats present at the reception comprised "representatives of the nations fighting at the side of France and of other nations upon which neutrality imposes special duties in the grave crisis which Europe is traversing."

578'013 ALLIES PRISONERS

List Does Not Include Civilians Interned In Germany.

Berlin, Jan. 2.—The total number of prisoners of war now held in Germany amount to 8,138 officers and 577,875 men.

This is shown in a summary issued from headquarters, which points out that the list does not include civilians interned in Germany nor prisoners taken during the pursuit in Russian Poland or those in transit.

Of the above total, the French contribute 3,459 officers, including seven generals, and 215,290 men; the Russians, 3,575 officers, of whom eighteen are generals, and 366,290 men; the Belgians, 612 officers, including three generals, and 36,852 men, and the British, 492 officers and 18,828 men.

Headquarters takes occasion to say that the report that 1,114 German officers and 134,700 men are prisoners in Russia is misleading, since this list includes interned civilians. Probably not more than 15 per cent of the total are military prisoners, it is declared.

AVIATOR THINKS HE HIT GERMAN CRUISER

London, Jan. 2.—The experiences of Flight Commander Francis Hewlett during the recent aerial raid on the German naval base at Cuxhaven are described in an interview with the aviator transmitted from Amsterdam. Commander Hewlett, who was believed to have lost his life until it was learned that he had been picked up by a steam trawler and landed at Muiden, Holland, says he believes that he hit a German warship with one of the bombs he dropped.

"I led the airship squadron," said Commander Hewlett. "I ran into a thick fog and after a time found myself near the coast of Schleswig. I flew over German territory and eventually came near Cuxhaven.

"When the mist had cleared I saw that I had lost my direction. I descended at a certain point, ascended again and flew over the great German fleet and the trawlers which were lying under steam behind Helgoland.

"A formidable fire was directed at me and I replied with several bombs. It is my opinion that I hit one of the German vessels, because soon afterward dense smoke arose from it.

"I was unable to find the British fleet. My motor was running hot and I was compelled to descend. I was picked up by a Dutch trawler, but destroyed my motor and sank the hydroplane before I boarded the trawler. I stayed aboard the trawler for six days during a terrific storm."

BURY BURLINGTON MAN.

Funeral Services for John Miller Held This Morning.

The funeral services of John Miller, aged 92, who died Thursday night at his home in Burlington Junction were held this morning at the Methodist church, conducted by the Rev. Tom Middleton.

Mr. Miller is survived by his wife who is eighty years old, and seven sons and daughters. They are George Miller of St. Louis, Henry, Harvey, and Wes Miller and Mrs. John Boyer of Burlington Junction, Alva and Chas. Miller of Oklahoma.

Miss Lulu Todd, who is teaching in the schools of Hammond, Ind., left this afternoon, after a holiday visit in Maryville with her mother, Mrs. Anna Todd, and family.

Talk on Osteopathy

Number 5

A few years ago a young man was visiting a well known Nodaway county farmer. This young man took seriously sick one night with Asthma and nearly died. When he finally got some better this farmer told him that he was the biggest fool he ever knew and that if he had that trouble he would immediately go to Dr. Still at Kirksville. This young man answered him and said: "Have I not consulted all the best specialists in the United States and none of them can help me?" The farmer said, "Yes, but you have never been to Kirksville to Dr. Still." In the meantime this young man went back home to Illinois and this Nodawy county farmer went to Kirksville to consult Dr. Still for treatment and while there he received a telegram one day from the same young man stating that he would be in Kirksville that night. When he arrived in Kirksville he was very much disappointed with what he saw and said he had no faith in Dr. Still. This Nodaway county farmer said that Dr. Still does not care whether you have any faith or not, he will cure you any way. The next day the young man went over with this farmer and consulted Dr. Still. Dr. Still gave him one treatment and that same night the young man said that he felt different and that Dr. Still had certainly done something to him but he could not tell what. That night he tried every way he knew of to get the Asthma to return but it would not. The next day he again saw Dr. Still for another treatment and the young man asked Dr. Still how long he would have to continue the treatments. Dr. Still said "You are cured now, but I would like to see you again in four weeks." The young man said to Dr. Still, "Suppose I get another bad spell before four weeks?" Then Dr. Still answered saying that you will want to see me a whole lot worse than I will you.

This young man returned home to Illinois starting to dance and doing all other manner of things which he could not do before taking this treatment, as the Asthma immediately came back when he went into dusty places. When he found he could not get the Asthma to return he wrote to this farmer who was still at Kirksville, asking him to find out from Dr. Still what he would charge to teach him "How to cure Asthma." Dr. Still answered saying that if he taught him how to cure Asthma, it would not be a week before he would want to know how to cure something else just as bad. Tell him I will teach him the whole thing for a certain sum and immediately by return mail Dr. Still received a check from this young man for a course in Osteopathy. He is now a Osteopathic Practitioner in Cincinnati, Ohio.

DR. E. J. CARLSON
Osteopathist.

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Rteurns to Clearmont.

Mrs. Emma Fritz of Clearmont, who had been visiting her mother, Mrs. C. Maier, left today for her home.

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FARM CLUB MEETS

AGRICULTURAL PROMOTERS PICK DIRECTORATE TODAY.

NEW OFFICIAL AT HEAD

Albert H. Cooper Now Manager of Nodaway County Agricultural and Domestic Science Association.

A semi-annual meeting of the Nodaway County Agricultural and Domestic Science Association was held at the court house this morning to select a new executive committee and directorate. A discussion of plans for this year's show also was held.

The old executive committee was retained and W. R. Jackson, secretary of the Commercial Club, added to the committee. It now consists of Miss Hettie Anthony and Prof. John E. Cameron of the Normal, James B. Robinson, G. L. Wilfley, Joseph Jackson, Jr., Paul Sisson and W. R. Jackson.

E. E. Williams was re-elected secretary and treasurer and Albert H. Cooper, now county school superintendent, replaces Prof. W. M. Oakerson, as manager of the association.

Has $335.51 Balance.

The report of the association shows that there now is a balance on hand in the treasury of $335.51, which may be appropriated for premiums to exhibitors in this year's show. Of this amount $151.65 was recently received from the state, as a result of a provision of the state legislature two years ago.

A committee consisting of A. H. Cooper, Miss Hettie Anthony and W. R. Jackson, was appointed this morning to make out the premium list for this year's show. This committee probably will meet within a short time and arrange the list. It is the plan of the association to give a total of approximately $1,000 in premiums this year, as compared to $600 last fall.

Mr. Oakerson, in resigning, recommended to the association that the offering to boy corn growers should be enlarged and that that branch of agriculture should be promoted. He suggested that, where but five prizes were given in this department last fall, the association next fall should give between $300 and $400 to the participants in this contest.

Would Promote School Craft.

Another suggestion of Prof. Oakerson, which evidently met with considerable favor and will be adopted, is to offer prizes this year to the better school exhibits. It is Prof. Oakerson's plan in this regard to induce the various rural and small town schools to enter an exhibit of work done by its scholars. Such exhibits would probably contain handiwork with the needle by girls and wood work and mechanical contrivances by the boys of the schools.

All in all, it is believed this year's offering to the boys and girls of Nodaway county will be much larger than any other of the six years the association has been in existence. The offerings probably will be announced next spring. The exhibits will not be received until next October.

Firm Ceases Partnership.

The firm of Wallace & Holmes, dissolved partnership this week, G. B. Holmes taking over the interests of Frank Wallace. Mr. Holmes will keep the same office over the store of Mark Turner, formerly occupied by the firm. Mr. Wallace is yet undecided in his business plans for the future.

Ill With Pneumonia.

Isabel Hamlin, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hamlin, is very ill with pneumonia.

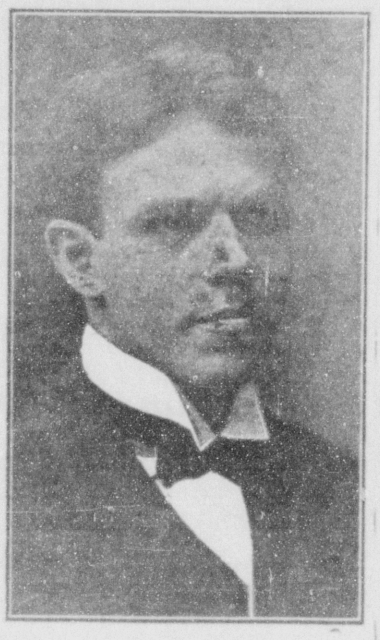
John Baumle of Arkoe, was in Maryville today on business.

BEGIN REVIVAL TOMORROW

Baptists to Hold Evangelistic Services With Special Worker in Charge.

The First Baptist church will begin its month's evangelistic meetings tomorrow night with the Rev. Lewis M. Hale, pastor, in charge. After tomorrow, however, the Rev. A. E. Burch, of Kansas City, an evangelist and minister of many years experience, probably will have charge of the special services. Arch Carter, his singer and choir leader, is expected to arrive in Maryville tomorrow morning to assist in the religious campaign.

A special chorus of between thirty and forty voices is being prepared for the revival services. The church is



THE REV. L. M. HALE Baptist Pastor

otherwise preparing to house some of the largest evangelistic audiences Maryville has ever seen. A strong effort is being especially made by the church leaders to get the attendance of persons living in the city or nearby who are not affiliated with any church.

MRS. G. A. HARTMAN DIES.

Succombs to Month's Illness—Funeral to be Held Tomorrow.

Mrs. George A. Hartman died at 9:45 o'clock last night at the family residence, 622 East Fourth, after an illness of several weeks.

The funeral services will be held at the First Methodist church at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, conducted by the pastor, the Rev. Gilbert S. Cox. The interment will be made in Miriam cemetery.

With her family, Mrs. Hartman came to Maryville about nine years ago from Barnard where their home had been made for a great many years. Beside her husband, Mrs. Hartman is survived by nine children. They are the Misses Dena, Clarice and Frances Hartman, living at home and Chester Hartman of Great Falls, Mont., Mrs. A. C. Forney of Oelrich, S. D., Mrs. Vance Westfall of this city, Mrs. O. E. Miller, Nicholas and William Hartman of Barnard. Chester Hartman will arrive from Great Falls tomorrow morning to attend the funeral. Mrs. Forney is unable to come.

Returns to Columbia.

Mrs. Frank Grigsby of Columbia, who had been visiting her sister, Mrs. John Snapp, returned last night to her home. Mrs. Snapp has been very ill for several weeks but is improving. Another sister, Mrs. Belle Perdew of Sterling, Kan., who is at the Snapp home will remain longer.

Masons Change Officers.

The installation of the new officers for the year, was held by the Skidmore lodge of Mason last night. A banquet followed. Ira E. Porter heads the official body with the title of worshipful master.

Sunday Services] at First M. E. Church

10:45 a. m. Subject of sermon "A Constraining Love." Anthem "O Come to My Heart" Ambrose. Solo "Consider and Hear Me" Wooler. 7:30 p. m. Subject of sermon, "Two Doors." Anthem "O Be Joyful" Shackley. Solo "I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say" Rathbun.

REMEMBER YOU STILL HAVE TIME TO ENTER

the

Christmas Savings Club

at the

Farmers Trust Co.

SUE TARDY PAYERS

CITY COUNCIL WOULD COLLECT REMAING POLL TAX.

CITY AFFAIRS ARE GOOD

Reports of Various Departments Show Municipal Business is Good—Police Court Nets $38 December.

More suits against tardy poll tax payers of Maryville will be brought within a few days, as a result of the action of the city council in regular session last night. It instructed Deputy City Collector Harold Selecman to prepare to bring suits against those delinquent in tax payments to the city. At present there are sixteen such cases but it is believed several of these will pay today or Monday. Those that do not however, will be sued, it is said.

Eleven suits against delinquent poll tax payers were recently filed by the city. A few days later all but two paid the regular tax in addition to costs in the cases.

The city had received about $10,000 of the $14,000 in real estate and personal property tax, this morning, according to Collector Selecman. A 1 per cent penalty now goes on tax unpaid. An additional 1 per cent will be added each month.

J. H. Killion was reappointed night patrolman for thirty days, by the council. A license was granted for one year to the new management of the skating rink over the Knox garage.

The city appropriated $26 for January to the charity board for use in alleviating the suffering among the poor of Maryville or in administering to those unable to pay for medical treatment. The city gave $15 last month.

The report of Police Judge U. S. Wright last night, shows that the city received $38 in fines during the month of December out of eight cases. The costs were $6.10 in each case. Of the seven fines one was for $10, five for $5, one for $2 and one for $1.

The reports of the various city officials for the month of December show that the city is in good condition in all departments and that the revenues are as great or greater than in the same month of 1913. All reports were approved. The annual reports will not be submitted by the various municipal departments until the February meeting of the council.

RECOVERS FROM WOUNDS.

Allendale Youth, Relative of Nodaway Residents, Shot Twice, Reported Better.

Chancel Conn of Allendale, who was shot and dangerously wounded by Laurie Murray, last week, is making a slow recovery at Ensworth hospital, St. Joseph, according to W. A. Conn of Ravenwood, an uncle of the youth. Chancel is also a relative of Probate Judge William H. Conn of this city.

Young Conn was shot twice—once in the stomach and once in the breast.

RESISTED OFFICER, CHARGE.

Negro Also Was Drunk, City Claims—To Trial Monday on Both Counts.

Bert Martin, a negro, pleaded not guilty to having resisted Night Patrolman J. H. Killion last night while drunk, when he was arraigned before Police Judge U. S. Wright this morning. His trial was set for 1 o'clock Monday afternoon in police court. He is charged with drunkenness and also with having resisted an officer.

Tony Hutchison of Graham, pleaded guilty to a charge of drunkenness and was fined $2 and costs, this being his first offense, he claimed.

OVERRULES COST MOTION.

Daniel Halasey Wins Counter Move in Circuit Court Today.

A motion of John Halasey, one of the plaintiffs in a partition suit docketed in the circuit court to subject the distributive share of Daniel Halasey to the payment of a judgment recently decided against Daniel Halasey for costs, was overruled by Judge W. C. Ellison this morning, in a special court session. This virtually ends that counter move, although the original litigation is expected to continue.

The suit in question is that of John Halasey and others against Abigail Halasey and others.

To Visit at Parnell.

Mrs. M. A. Muse left this afternoon for Parnell to spend the week end visiting relatives.

Visited in St. Joseph.

Roy Martin left yesterday for St. Joseph on a business trip.

HOLIDAY NEAR END

PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND BUSINESS COLLEGE BEGIN MONDAY.

NORMAL BEGINS LATER

State Students Take Up Studies Tuesday—Nodaway College Youths, Home Xmas, Prepare to Leave

After a vacation which began about ten days ago, students of the public grade and high schools of the city, of the Maryville Business College and of the State Normal School, will resume their studies next Monday and Tuesday. The Normal students will get the longest holiday vacation. They quit their studies December 23 and will not resume that work until Tuesday.

The students of the public schools here and of the business college will go back to the studies Monday morning—bright and early. Most of the Normal students who have been out of town during the Yuletide season will return to Maryville tomorrow and Monday in order to prepare for the Tuesday's classes.

College Youth's Return.

Those Nodaway county youths who have been home on a vacation from college and universities in the state and out of the state, also are preparing to return to the educational work next week. Most of them came home for the Christmas dinner and will remain until tomorrow. The Nodaway county students of the University of iMssouri will resume their studies the first of next week.

A majority of the rural schools of the county likewise will resume operations Monday after a ten days to two weeks vacation. Some of the rural schools which closed December 18 for the Christmas holidays, have resumed but most of them did not close until December 24.

KNIGHT TEMPLARS INSTALL

Eminent Sir Bean, Grand Inspector, To Officiate Monday Night.

The installation ceremonies for the newly elected officers of Maryville Commandery No. 40 of Nnight Templars will be held in the Masonic hall Monday night. The change of officers will be made at that time. Eminent Sir W. Y. Bean of Kansas City, grand inspector of Missouri, will attend and officiate at the installation ceremonies.

A social time is planned after the installation. C. C. Hellmers heads the commandery as eminent commander to succeed Charles Hyslop. The other new officers are: Generalissimo, U. S. Wright to succeed C. C. Hellmers; captain general, E. E. Williams, to succeed U. S. Wright; senior warden, Dr. F. C. Wallis, to succeed E. E. Williams; junior warden, W. J. Montgomery, to succeed Dr. F. C. Wallis; prelate, Edward Hamlin, to succeed himself; recorder, W. H. Hudson, to succeed himself; treasurer, George B. Baker, to succeed himself.

PARCEL POST BROUGHT DINNER.

Ravenwood Couple Dine on New Jersey Cooking, Which Comes by Mail.

The uses to which the parcel post accomodation may be put has been further demonstrated to the absolute satisfaction of one Ravenwood couple. Here is how it was brought about according to the Ravenwood Gazette:

Dr. D. J. Hunterson and wife were more than surprised last Sunday when they received a package of parcel post sent to them by Dr. Hunterson's sister, Mrs. Alice Entrekin of Camden, New Jersey. On opening the package they found two dinners well cooked and ready for the table, one consigned to the doctor and the other to Mrs. Hunterson.

The dinner for Mrs. Hunterson consisted of a nice large head of lettuce, accompanied by several bunches of green onions and radishes, and Jersey sweet potatoes. Mrs. Entrekin knowing her brother's failing, sent him a dozen extra fried oysters with all the necessary trimmings that go with a dinner of this kind.

Winners

In the Empire Contest will be shown on the Screen

Tonight

TO GIVE VOCAL DUET

Feature Tomorrow's Band Concert With Number by Miss Scott and Her Guest.

The regular weekly concert to be given by the Maryville band in the Empire theatre beginning at 3:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, will be featured by a vocal duet, "Whispering Hope," by Miss Bess Scott of this city and Miss Gladys Keyser of Brookfield, who made such a hit in the Elks cabaret dinner Thursday night. The remainder of tomorrow's program follows:

March—Chicago Tribune. . Chambers
Overture—Barber of Seville. . Rossini
Intermezzo—Witchery. . . . . Moore
The Black Man. . . . . Sousa
(From the Suite, "The Dwellers of the Western World."
Humoreske . . . . . Dvorak
Patrol—The Blue and Grey. . Dalbey
March—Daughters of America Lampe

VALUES GO DOWN

JACKSON TOWNSHIP ASSESSMENT DECREASES $38,540 IN YEAR.

LAND WORTH $818,985

Real Estate of 1913 Worth $33,245 More Than Last Year. Ravenwood Lots Bring More.

Jackson township, including Ravenwood, had real estate worth $818,985, and personal property worth $239,325 last spring, according to a report submitted to County Clerk George W. Demott today by J. K. Yeary, assessor of Jackson township. This is a total decrease over the assessed valuation of 1913 of $38,540, when real estate was valued at $852,230 and personal property at $244,620.

The report shows that Jackson township has an acreage of 46,822 outside of Ravenwood which is valued at $767,825 last year compared to $806,035 in 1913. Ravenwood lots were valued in 1914 at $51,160 compared to $46,195 in 1913. This last assessment is the only one showing an increase last year over 1913.

The country personal property was assessed last year at $205,230 compared to $207,866 in 1913. The Ravenwood personal holdings were valued in 1914 at $34,290, compared to $36,754 in 1913.

The personal property report of the townships outside of Ravenwood are as follows:

1,382 horses, valued at $58,890.
14 asses and jennets, valued at $715.
223 mules, valued at $10,915.
3432 cattle, valued at $61,335.
520 sheep, valued at $520.
2582 hogs, valued at $12,845.
Total number 8,153; total valuation $145,220.
Money, notes, etc $30,860.
Chattels $28,955.
Total $205,035.

APPEALS DAMAGE SUIT

Great Western Would Retry $100 Case Brought by Guilford Resident.

A damage suit for $100, appealed from justice court, was filed with Circuit Clerk Eugene Rathbun this morning by the Chicago Great Western railroad, which lost in the lower tribunal. The suit was brought by D. D. Henderson, a business man of Guilford, who alleged that the railroad negligently handled a car of sheep he shipped last August from Guilford to St. Joseph.

Ravenwood Agent Quits.

A. D. Nye of Bedford, Ia., who had been agent for the Chicago Great Western railroad at Ravenwood for the last three weeks, returned yesterday to his home.

BLOW TO BRITISH

SINKING OF FORMIDABLE WITH 600 CAUSES GRIEF.

TEUTONS CHANGE FRONT

Six Army Corps Withdrawn From War saw to Prepare Against Vistula Attack by Russians.

Paris, Jan. 2.—The British battleship, Formidable, was torpedoed both fore and aft by a German submarine off of Portsmouth. It sank almost immediately.

London, Jan. 2.—The sinking of the British battleship, Formidable, in the English channel, with 600 of the crew, as a result of being torpedoed by a German submarine, has caused widespread grief.

It is not the loss of the ship, as much as the loss of so many of some of Britian's most able sea fighters, that has put sorrow in the hearts of the British.

London, Jan. 2.—The Warsaw correspondent of the Times sends the report that six German army corps have withdrawn from that front, supposedly to guard against rumored plans of the Russians to make an attack across the Vistula line of communication between Lowichz and Thorn.

NEW COURT MEETS MONDAY.

County Tribunal, with Two New Members, Considers "Left-Over" Business.

The first meeting of the new county court will be held at the court house Monday. At that time the two new members, W. M. Blackford, presiding judge and Matt Farnan of the south district, will succeed John G. Thornhill and Floyd Westfall espectively.

They will take up the transaction of all county business left over by the old court which met for the last time Thursday. Nearly all the business of last year, including the payment of bills against the county, was finished by the retiring board, so that Monday's session is expected fo be short.

MISS KILDOW DIES.

Body Will be Brought From Arizona Funeral Will be Held Here.

Miss Emma Kildow of this city died at 1:45 o'clock this morning at Prescott, Ariz. The body will be brought to Maryville for burial. Mrs. Katherine Miller, who went to Prescott about two months ago to be with Miss Kildow, and Mrs. Miller's son, Arthur Miller of Kansas City, who went to accompany his mother to Maryville, will leave Prescott with the body tonight. The time of their arrival in Maryville is uncertain. All funeral arrangements will be delayed until that time.

Miss Kildow was a sufferer with tuberculosis. She left this city about two years ago and had spent the time at various places in California and Arizona. During most of the time Mrs. Miller has been with Miss Kildow.

Miss Kildow was born in this city. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Kildow. Both parents died when she was a very small child and her home has been made with Mrs. Miller. She is a graduate of the city high school and of the Normal and was a member of the Sigma Delta Chi Sorority. An uncle of Miss Kildow, Rudolph Deschauer, is a resident of this city.

THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy tonight and Sunday. Warmer tonight.

Maryville Lyceum Association

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Tuesday, January 5, 8 p. m.

Christian Church Admission 75c

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TO REOPEN TRUST PROGRAM

Divorce of Railroads From Coal Mines Will Be Sought by Wilson.

Washington, Jan. 2.—President Wilson has decided to reopen his trust program and to make an effort to pass a measure at this session of congress strengthening the "commodities clause" of the interstate commerce act by requiring railroads to divorce themselves from concerns that manufacture, mine, produce, or deal in commodities transported by common carriers.

The measure was introduced by Representative Adamson of Georgia, largely as a result of the investigation into the operations of the Illinois coal roads completed last summer by the interstate commerce commission.

HOT SPRINGS SALOONS OPEN

That City Is Now the Only "Wet" Spot In Arkansas.

Little Rock, Ark., Jan. 2.—Hot Springs saloons were reopened and that city now is the only "wet" spot in the state. Saloons in all other cities are closed and under the statutes petitions containing a majority of the names of white adult citizens must be presented to the county court before they can secure licenses.

The Hot Springs petition contained about 3,600 names. The license was reissued without contest from the anti-liquor forces. Little Rock is expected to remain dry several weeks, as the petitions here still are said to be short of the number of signatures required.

Liquor Is One Great Cause of Poverty.

Topeka, Jan. 2.—Traffic in liquor was held to be one great cause of social poverty and economic waste by Harry G. McCain, extension secretary of the Methodist Temperance society, in an address here before the convention of the Intercollegiate Temperance association. A great force for improving social conditions, Mr. McCain said, lies in an organization of college men to work in the interests of prohibition.

Couple That Jumped Big Bond Taken.

New York, Jan. 2.—Francis H. Griffin, an attorney, and his wife, Clara H. Griffin, who are under federal indictment on the charge of having defrauded acquaintances of high social standing out of between $350,000 and $400,000, were brought back from Colorado Springs, where they fled about a month ago forfeiting bail bond of $37,500. They were locked up in the Tombs.

OMAHA LIVESTOCK MARKET

Cattle Receipts Light and Prices Without Noteworthy Change.

South Omaha, Jan. 2.—Cattle—Receipts, 100; steady; beef steers, $5.75@9; cows and heifers, $4.30@7.25; stockers and feeders, $5.75@8.15; bulls, $5@6.75; calves, $7@9. Hogs—Receipts, 6,500; 5c higher; bulk of sales, $7.15@7.25; top, $7.30. Sheep—Receipts, 1,800; 10@15c higher; lambs, $7.50@8.75; wethers, $4.40@7.50; ewes, $4.25@5.85.

Appoint Son as Executor.

Upon recommendation made in her last will, Madison Young was appointed executor of the estate of Amanda Young, who died at her home on First street several weeks ago, by Probate Judge W. H. Conn. Madison Young is the eldest child. He lives in St. Joseph.

Visit Relatives Here.

Edward Wright of Fort Collins, Colo. who formerly taught school in Maryville and Nodaway county, arrived in the city today on a visit for a week or ten days with his mother, Mrs. Sarah E. Wright, and sister, Mrs. W. A. Blagg.

To Visit in Oklahoma.

W. H. Swinford left this morning for Watonga, Okla., where he will spend the remainder of the winter visiting his daughter, Mrs. A. C. Vickery.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

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FORMIDABLE IS SUNK, 600 LOST

British Battleship Torpedoed Fore and Aft.

ANNOUCEMENT OF ADMIRALTY.

Thus Far Only 150 Men Are Known to Have Been Saved of the Crew of 750 Aboard Fighting Craft—Vessel Cost About $5,000,000.

WAR BULLETINS

There is a paucity of news concerning the fighting on land, where the armies of the allies and the Germans are carrying out the maneuvers which have been in effect for many days. In the entrenched line in Flanders and France artillery duels and infantry attacks continue, but without decisive result. In Poland the Germans are trying to get through to Warsaw and the Russians are disputing vigorously their every move. North of the Vistula and along the East Prussian frontier fog envelops the armies and hinders their actions.

London, Jan. 2.—The outstanding feature of the war news continues to be the sinking by a mine or a torpedo in the channel of the British battleship Formidable, with a probable loss of 600 lives. Only 150 men of its crew of 750 are known to have been saved, as the vessel sank beneath the heavy waves kicked up by the gale that was raging. Eighty men were rescued with great difficulty by a British cruiser and seventy by a trawler. Eight officers and six midshipmen were among the rescued. The British admiralty has not made known the spot where the ship was blown up.

Neither has it made a definite assertion as to whether the disaster was due to the vessel striking a mine or to an attack by a German submarine.

Torpedoed Fore and Aft.

The Daily Chronicle states that survivors of the battleship Formidable report that the vessel was torpedoed both fore and aft and sank almost immediately. The Chronicle's Brixham correspondent, who is authority for the foregoing, says the captain of the trawler Providence, which rescued seventy survivors who had escaped from the battleship in a cutter, states that other fishing boats were close at hand. The captain expresses the belief that other survivors have been rescued and taken to Dartmouth. He saw no other boats belonging to the Formidable, however.

Rescue Work of Peril.

The rescue was made under dangerous and exciting circumstances. The crew of the trawler were amazed while running before the gale for shelter to find a small open boat driving under their lee through mountainous seas with an oar hoisted bearing a sailor's scarf. After desperate efforts those on the trawler succeeded in getting a rope to the cutter and brought it with great skill to their stern.

The naval men began to jump aboard, but even then there was danger of losing men, as the seas were running thirty feet high. After a half hour's work, however, all were safely rescued. One lad of nineteen was so exhausted that he required immediate treatment to save his life. When all had left the cutter its rope was cut, as it was full of water, having a hole under its hull, which had been stuffed with a pair of trousers, of which one man had divested himself for the purpose.

The British battleship Formidable had a displacement of 15,000 tons. It was 430 feet long and carried a complement of 750 men. It was heavily armored and carried four twelve-inch guns, twelve six-inch guns and sixteen twelve-pounders. It was provided also with four submerged torpedo tubes, and cost more than $5,000,000.

Germany Holds All of Belgium.

Fighting on land is proceeding along virtually the same lines as during the last few days.

The close of the fifth month of the war finds Germany still in occupation of virtually the whole of Belgium, an important tract of French territory in the western theater of hostilities and a considerable slice of Russian Poland along the eastern battle front, a thousand miles away. It would appear, nevertheless, that Germany for the present at least is unable to make further headway.

Emperor Thanks Przemysl's Defenders

Vienna, Jan. 2.—The following message of greeting has been sent by the Austrian emperor to Przemysl garrison:

"His royal apostolic majesty views with heartfelt gratitude the spirited allegiance of the garrison at Przemysl. In the splendid resistance of its defenders the emperor perceives the calm security with which the Przemysl fort will successfully resist the enemy."

Must Carry No Other Cargo.

Washington, Jan. 2.—Ambassador Page cabled the state department from London that the British foreign office had informed him British naval authorities hereafter would undertake to facilitate [illegible] voyage to Rotterdam of only such ships as contain [illegible] for Belgian re[illegible]

Sunday Services at Local Churches

First Church of Christ, Scientist.
206 South Main street.
Sunday school 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship 11:00 o'clock. Subject of lesson sermon, "God."
No evening service.
Mid week service Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.
Reading room in Michau building open each afternoon from 2 till 5 p. m.
Everyone invited to all services.

First Christian Church.
Robert L. Finch, pastor.
Begin the new year aright by attending church.
Our Bible school hour is 9:30 a. m. New officers will be in charge tomorrow. Make your plans to attend.
Morning subject, "Reconciliation."
Evening sermon subject, "What Must I do to be Saved?"
There will be special music at all services. Mrs. H. C. Todd will sing in the morning and an anthem by the choir in the evening. Evening services begins at 7:30.
You are cordially welcome.

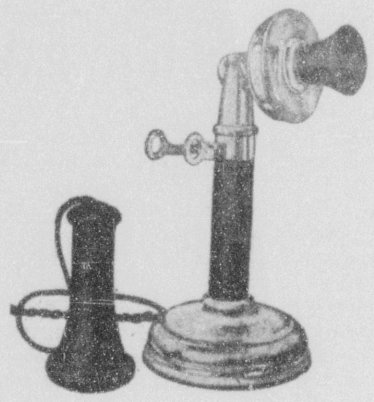
First Methodist Church.
Gilbert S. Cox, pastor.
Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.
Morning worship at 10:45. Subject of the sermon, "Love That Constraineth." Choir anthem, "O Come to My Heart, Lord Jesus," by Ambrose.
Solo, "Consider and Hear Me," by by Wooler.
The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be given at the close of the sermon
Epworth League at 6:30 p. m., subject of sermon, "Promises of a Redeemer," Leader, Clifton White.
Evening song service at 7:30 o'clock. Subject of sermon, "Two Doors."
Anthem, "O Be Joyful," by Shackley. "I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say," by Rathbun.

Buchanan Street Methodist Church
John H. Hubbard, pastor.
All on time at Sunday school tomorrow is our motto.
Our protracted meeting begins tomorrow. Rev. W. B. Lewellyn of Grayson, will be in charge of the services, taking the pulpit tomorrow morning and evening. Mr. Lewellyn is a man of large experience and has been a great soul winner. We are praying and hoping that his coming among us will be a great blessing, but it will not be unless we shall avail ourselves of the privileges it offers. The way to get the desired good is to be present in a prayerful spirit. Let us build the fire of the grace of God in our own hearts and others will come with us.

First Baptist Church.
Lewis M. Hale, pastor.
Bible school 9:30 a. m. If you want to start right, start to Bible school in time to be there at nine-thirty.
Morning worship 11:00 a. m. Sermon subject, "Deep Sea Fishing." Music in charge of Arch C. Carter, gospel singer for Evangelist A. E. Burch.
B. Y. P. U. 6:30 p. m. Help the B. Y. P. U. with your presence.
Evening worship 7:30 p. m. Sermon subject, "What Prayer Reveals."
Our meetings begin at this time, and we are anxious for the co-operation of all who are interested in the salvation of men. This is a personal invitation to you come and help us. We expect Evangelist Burch with us Monday evening. Services each evening 7:30 p. m.

First Presbyterian Church.
Samuel D. Harkness, pastor.
Sunday school at 9:45.
Morning worship at 11 o'clock. The hour is the time for holy communion and the reception of new members. There will be special organ music and a solo, "Hear Our Cry," Briggs, by Miss Nellie Wray. The subject of the pastor's sermon will be, "A Communion Meditation."
The Young People's Club meeting at 6:30 o'clock will be a consecration service in charge of Miss Jessie Parcher.
At the evening hour of worship the sermon subject will be, "Why Faith Breaks Down." There will be singing by a male quartet and special organ numbers by Prof. H. B. Schuler of the Maryville Conservatory, who has been employed as organist and choir director. Mr. Schuler begins his work with the Sunday service. Starting next Sunday, the pastor will take up a supplementary series of sermons on "The Approaches of God," following the series of four given on that subject in December.

Alliance to Meet.
The Ministerial Alliance will meet at 10:30 o'clock Monday morning in the study of the Buchanan Street Methodist church.
Rev. S. D. Harkness, Chairman.



Use Is The Test

IN WISHING YOU
A Happy New Year

The HANAMO Telephone Company also thanks you for your patronage during 1914. Today there are more Hanamo Telephones in use in Maryville than a year ago, which bespeaks Maryville's prosperity in the face of adverse conditions elsewhere.

Last year the Hanamo Telephone Company expended several thousand dollars for extensions and improvements—not only to maintain the excellence of service but to better it where possible. It predicts for 1915 a wider range of useful service, due both to improved equipment on its part and to the well deserved prosperity of all who live and do business in and around Maryville.

THE Hanamo Telephone Company

The System That Gets You Anywhere Over Long Distance

SOON BREAKS RESOLUTION

County Treasurer W. R. Tilson Couldn't Resist Temptation to Smoke.

W. R. Tilson, county treasurer, always tries to be a better man, just as many others are wont to do.

So shortly before the passage of 1914 into 1915 yesterday, the honorable Tilson proclaimed to Madame Tilson, the glad tidings that, beginning at midnight yesterday, he would thenceforth and thereafter quit the use of the "vile weed." In other words he decided to resolve to quit smoking, just as many other men do the first of each year.

Tilson smokes a pipe almost continually during the waking hours—that is when he hasn't got a cigar.

But Tilson is strong minded and his will power is one of the marvels around the court house where Tilson spends most of his daylight hours.

Being a "public servant" Tilson has many cigars given to him.

But despite all this temptation, Sir Tilson had every reason to belive that he could throw aside the awful habit, but he reckoned without his host, just as those men did in Rudyard Kipling's "Recessional" and with about the same result.

However when Collector Tilson passed from the Tilson household yesterday morning, without having first taken his customary after-breakfast smoke Frau Tilson laid laurels at Sir Tilson's feet and placed a bejeweled crown on his brow.

But the devil—omnipresent that he is always—laid a snare for Tilson—and Tilson fell—just as you and I have often done. He met a friend soon after leaving his home.

"Have a cigar with my compliments and a wish for a new year."

"Thanks," said Tilson.

The cigar went to Tilson's mouth. A match was lighted, smoke began to issue.

Tilson was at peace with the world and the resolution was forgotten.

Before the noon hour had come yesterday, Tilson had been treated to four perfectly good cigars. None were left however. They had gone their route with Tilson at the helm.

And today is Mr Tilson's forty-eighth birthday!!

But Sir Tilson is not down cast nor dejected—oh, no! He will try again.

This is but one instance of many similar cases the first of each year.

Resumes Studies at University.

Herschel Colbert will leave Sunday morning for Columbia to resume his studies at the University of Missouri, after a week's visit with his parents, Prof. and Mrs. George H. Colbert.

Mrs. M. E. Smith of Pickering spent the day visiting friends in this city.

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THE DIAMOND BRAND.
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chi-ches-ter S Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHI-CHES-TER S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable
SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

New Year's Greeting

IN this the beginning of the New Year we want to thank our many friends for the business they have given us during the year just ended. Our business for the past year has been very satisfactory to us, yet without your help it would not have been. While we always tried to be straight with you all in our dealings, we are surely glad that you appreciate it by giving us your business. We now hope you will be as loyal and if possible more so to us and all the business men of our city during the coming year as you were in the one just past. So that we may be a prosperous little City and community as well. We might possibly each get along without the other, but I am sure could get along much BETTER with each other. Now let us all put our shoulder to the wheel, and pull and work together and make this the BEST CITY and COUNTY in old Missouri. Wishing you all the most happy and prosperous year of your lives we are Yours as ever.

PRICE and McNEAL

SHERIDAN MAY GET PASTOR.

'Want-Ad' Minister to "Try-Out" to Christians Next Week.

After inserting "want-ads" in two religious papers for a pastor and getting forty responses, the board of the Christian church at Sheridan has decided to give one of the applicants a try-out. The Rev. Mr. Borden of Gentry will preach at the Sheridan church January 8, 9 and 10. The board will then decide whether to retain him as pastor or try out another applicant.

SUES FOR $331 ON NOTE.

Barnard Man Says Guilford Resident Failed to Pay as Promised.

A suit for $331.80 and 8 per cent interest on the principal since last March, was filed in circuit court this afternoon in which the plaintiff is Fred R. Stalling of Barnard. The defendant is Bert Miller of Guilford.

G. E. Davis in Hospital .

George E. Davis, of Alvord, Ia., a son of George Davis of this city is at a hospital in Sioux Falls, S. D., seriously ill. Mr. Davis underwent an operation for appendicitis Tuesday and is doing as well as could be hoped for at present. He is engaged in the banking business at Alvord.

Get First License of Year.

The first marriage license of the year was granted in the office of the recorder of deeds by the new recorder, Dan R. Baker, today to Fred Carnot Parks, 27 years old, of Minonk, Ill., and Amanda J. Shepherd, 26 years old, who lives near Elmo.

W. R. C. to Meet.

The Women's Relief Corps is requested to meet at 1:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon in the basement of the First Methodist church to attend in a body the funeral of Mrs. G. A. Hartman to be held at 2 o'clock. By order of

Mrs. Eliza J. Black,
President.

Home From St. Joseph Visit.

Mrs. Newton Hagins returned yesterday from a visit of several days in St. Joseph, where she was the guest of her sister Mrs. Charles Branson and family.

Winter Clothing at

Sacrifice Prices

I want to clean up my stock of all Heavy Winter Clothing and Furnishing Goods and in order to do this have made some very low prices—so low that you cannot afford to pass this chance. Come in and look over the line—You will be sure to find something you want during this sale.

Clark Weaver
W. Third St.

Imperfect Vision

Maybe possessed by people who never suspect it.

Many people suffer constantly from eye strain who have never guessed just what the trouble is.

Everyone should find out if their eyes are normal and this may be done easily and quickly by calling on us.

Besides detecting errors, we correct them with properly fitted lenses.

H. L. Raines
JEWELER AND OPTICIAN
109 W. THIRD ST.

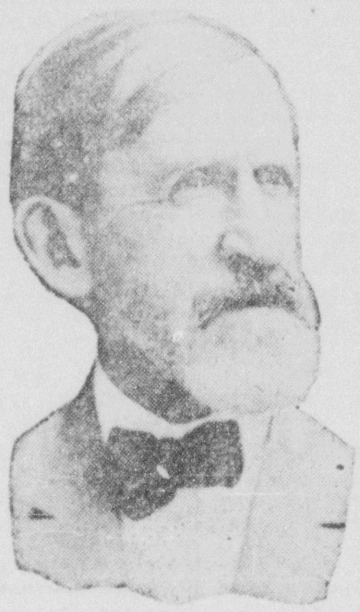
To our many patrons and friends and the flower loving public in general, we wish you

a very happy and prosperous New Year

The Engelmann Greenhouses
1001 S. MAIN ST. PHONE 17

SENATOR JOHN W. KERN.

Party Leader Will Try to Save President's Program in the Senate.



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SIXTEEN PERSONS INJURED IN WRECK

Burlington and Rock Island Trains Collide Head-On.

Liberty, Mo., Jan. 2.—Sixteen persons were injured, two dangerously when Burlington train No. 4 from Kansas City collided head-on with Rock Island passenger train No. 3 from Chicago, a half mile west of Liberty.

J. L. Handley of Oklahoma City was injured internally and R. J. Edwards of Cameron, Mo., the Burlington engineer, who was caught in his cab, suffered internal injuries. His right arm was broken and he was badly scalded.

A misunderstanding of orders is believed to have caused the collision. The Rock Island train was waiting for the Burlington train to take the switch. The Burlington train rounded a curve at full speed and the crash followed.

BELGIAN RELIEF WORK

Van Dyke Turns Over Cash to Netherlands Red Cross.

The Hague, Jan. 2.—Henry Van Dyke, American minister to the Netherlands, turned over to the Netherlands Red Cross society the sum of $1,400 given him for this purpose by the St. Nicholas society of New York. During the last two days Mr. Van Dyke has caused to be distributed thirty-seven boxes of clothing, blankets, etc., donated by various American societies for destitute Belgians in Holland.

Mr. Van Dyke has been active in behalf of the importation into the Netherlands of cottonseed oil, an American product, which, though undoubtedly a food, is not as yet on the British contraband list. Mr. Van Dyke wishes to clear the status of cottonseed oil in order to eliminate possible ensuing difficulties should its importation be undertaken.

Negroes Try to Lynch Negro.

Charleston, Mo., Jan. 2.—A gang of negro levee workmen attempted to lynch one of their number here because he had stabbed the foreman, a white man. A passing train crew interfered and saved the negro after the gang had placed a rope around his neck, preparatory to hanging him.

General Bell at Galveston.

Galveston, Jan. 2.—Brigadier General George Bell, Jr., arrived here to assume command of the Fifth brigade in camp at Fort Crockett, relieving Colonel Millard F. Waltz of the Nineteenth infantry.

Revolution Breaks Out In Paraguay.

Buenos Aires, Jan. 2.—A revolution has broken out in Paraguay, an artillery regiment having taken the field. Dr. Eduardo Sherer, president of the republic, is a prisoner.

AFTER AMBULANCE CHASERS' TRUST

New York, Jan. 2.—A campaign against the "ambulance chasers' trust," so called by District Attorney Martin of the Bronx, was begun by the arrest of Dennis Murray, foreman of linemen for the New Haven railroad, at his home in Bridgeport, Conn., on a warrant charging perjury. He was released on $7,500 bail by Judge Gibbs of the Bronx county court.

A confession obtained from Murray, according to the police, and backed by other evidence, it is alleged, revealed that an organization of influential lawyers exists for the purpose of suing large corporations, particularly the New Haven road, for slight or imaginary injuries in accident cases. The members of the "trust," District Attorney Martin said, generally have settled these cases out of court for large damages, 50 per cent of which invariably went to the lawyers.

The Boss Is Out of Town

Trade With The Haines Bunch And Make Money

Remember the January Clearing Sale Commenced Today.....

Great Reductions All Through The House

When You Think of Dry Goods, Think of

Haines
MARYVILLE, MO.

The Store That Is Always Anxious To Please You

(By The Haines Bunch Without The Boss)

SOCIETY AND CLUBLAND

KATE SCHENCK
Phones—Office 42 Home 683

Give New Year's Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Weddell of Guitman were the hosts of a New Year's dinner party yesterday at which their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harvey England and family.

Country Club Feast.

The Country Club will give its annual New Year's celebration by having an oyster supper tonight at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Job, west of the city.

For Miss Burks.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Scott entertained last night complimentary to their house guest, Miss Mayme Burks, of Mound City. The additional guests were Miss Grace Langan, William G. Sawyers and Orlo Quinn.

Installation Postponed.

The installation of officers of the Women's Relief Corps which was to have been held this afternoon has been postponed until a later date. The postponement is made because of the death of one of their number, Mrs. George A. Hartman.

Watch Night Party.

One of the jolly watch night parties of New Year's eve was given in the Royal Hall of Skidmore, by a crowd of young people. The affair was planned by Miss Leora Hitchcock, Miss Marjorie Stephens and Miss Sylvia Hughes. About forty guests were entertained.

To Celebrate Birthday.

To observe the birthday anniversary of their niece, Miss Lillian Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Colvin gave a dinner party yesterday noon. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Carpenter, Misses Dora, Winnifred, Katherine Lillian and Mary Carpenter and Fleming Carpenter.

Mr. and Mrs. Fields Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Fields of Barnard, were the hosts of a dinner party given at noon yesterday when their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stalling, Mr. and Mrs. George Cole and family, Mr and Mrs. W. G. Burnes and family, Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Larabee, Mrs. Nancy Cole, Thomas Cook and daughter, La Verna.

Enjoy New Year's Feast.

The Rev. and Mrs. S. D. Harkness enjoyed an unexpected New Year's pleasure when they were given a surprise dinner by a large party of the rural members of the church. The crowd came to the Manse about noon, bringing with them baskets packed with every delicacy of the season and the feast was enjoyed together. Those in the company were Mrs. M. E. Long, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sawyers and family, Mr. and Mrs. Will Scott and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Snider, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Neff and family and their guest, Mr. Wilbur; Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Watson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Scott and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Scott and family, Mrs. Winfield Scott, Mr. and Mrs. John K. Sawyers and family, Mrs. R. G. Richey, Mrs. Elizabeth Clayton, Miss Elizabeth Sawyers and W. G. Sawyers.

Gives Turkey Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McCoppin went to Bolckow yesterday where they were guests at a turkey dinner given by Mrs. McCoppin's mother, Mrs. J. W. Houghtaling. The other guests present were the Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Moody and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Dougan, and two sons; Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Dougan, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Houghtaling and two children of Bolckow.

The Misses Davis Entertain.

The Misses Ruth and Lucy Davis gave a dinner last night entertaining a party of relatives to celebrate the New Year's day. The table flowers were pink carnations and plates were laid for Mrs. Edward McMillan, Mrs. Charles Mulholland, Mrs. M. G. Tate, George S. Baker, George Davis, Don D. Davis and the hostesses.

Dinner at Pleasant View Farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tabler were the hosts of a New Year's dinner party given at their home, Pleasant View Farm yesterday when they entertained Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Childress, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Mason and daughter, Mrs. Cora Trullinger and Miss Helen Trullinger.

Dinner at West Lawn.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hounold Bellows were the hosts of a dinner given last night at their home, West Lawn Farm, when plates were laid for Miss Docia Jackson of Memphis, Tenn., Miss Grace O'Malley of Albany and Fred Wolfers of Kansas City. Miss Jackson is a house guest at the Bellows home.

Pinnel-Bock.

Miss Avis Pinnell, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Pinnell and H. F. Bock of Omaha, were married Christmas day at Omaha. The bride's sister, Miss Dorris Pinnell of this city, returned yesterday from Omaha, where she went to attend the wedding. Mrs. Bock, previous to her marriage had been employed at the office of Sutherland Bros., in Omaha. The newly weds will make their home in that city.

Line Party.

Miss Virginia Robinson and Miss Mary Wooldridge entertained the Will-o-the-Whisp club last night, with a line party at the Empire, followed by a luncheon at the Reuillard cafe. This evening Miss Mabel Curnutt and Miss Elfreida Linville will entertain the club at the home of Miss Curnutt, concluding a series of parties which have been enjoyed during the holidays. The club includes Misses Elizabeth Leet, Elfreida Linville, Lillian Carpenter, Mary Wooldridge, Virginia Robinson, Mabel Curnutt, Mildred Bellows and Marie Wright.

In Honor of Visiting Guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Hall, living west of the city, gave a dinner party at noon yesterday complimentary to Mrs. Hall's mother, Mrs. T. P. Baughman, of Camden Point, who is visiting at their home. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Trullinger, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Noakes, Mr. and Mrs. John White and daughter, Clydell, and Mr. and Mrs. William Job.

Dining at French Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Harley French entertained the various members of the family yesterday with a delightful New Year's dinner at their home on West Fourth street. Plates were laid for Mrs. Charles Lippman and son, Cyrus, of St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Eckles, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Lippman, Mrs. M. A. Martin, Mrs. Lizette Lippman, Miss May French, Miss Ora Eckles, Don Martin and Mr. and Mrs. French and son.

Mrs. Welch Hostess.

Mrs. J. T. Welch was the hostess of a New Year's dinner party given yesterday noon in compliment to her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Andrews of St. Joseph. Plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Ed L. Andrews, Mrs. I. V. McMillen, Miss Mary Louise Andrews, Miss Helen Welch, Charles Andrews and the hostess. Mr. Andrews returned home this morning and Mrs. Andrews will remain until the first of the week.

Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Moon entertained with a twelve o'clock dinner on New Year's day to celebrate their thirty-first wedding anniversary. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Reese, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Edelbert Moon, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bratcher and children of Pickering, Mrs. Virgil Moon, Harold Moon, Glen Moon and the hosts.

Taffy Pull Party.

The Hustlers and the Boy Scouts classes of the Harmony Church were entertained with an old fashioned "taffy pull" party in the basement of the church Wednesday evening. Those present which included the class members and a few visitors were Misses Marie Lewis, Charlotte Green, Mildred Trullinger, Mary Marshall, Ruby Ridlon, Estelle Lawson, Eva Lawson, Ruth Houchens, Marie Kime, Gladys Lawson, Gladys Parent, Florence Trullinger, and Miss Wilda Anderson, George Lewis, Vilas Porter, Porter Kessler, Virgil Kessler, Carl Porter, Morrison Lawson, Willis Parent, Floren Porter and Clyde Anderson.

Euchre Party.

Mrs John Eldon Bailey entertained with an euchre party last night as a courtesy to Miss Eva Montgomery of St. Joseph, who has been spending the holiday week visiting Mrs. J. S. Shinabargar. The prize for the high score a bunch of pink carnations went to Mrs. Lafe Allender. A pink and white luncheon was served after the games, Mrs. Frank Garrett and Miss Gertrude Condon assisting the hostess. The guests were Miss Montgomery, Mrs. J. C. Allender, Mrs. John Clary, Mrs. Lafe C. Allender of Atlantic, Ia., Mrs. John Richey, Mrs. R. G. Koch, Mrs. J. S. Shinabargar, Mrs. Frank Garrett, Misses Stella, Frances and Eleanor Smith, Miss Nelle Hudson, Miss Nora Ritze and Miss Gertrude Condon.

Keeps "Open House."

One of the smart affairs of the week was given yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Leslie Errol Dean and Mrs. Emmett Foster Scott, who held 'open house" at the Dean home, extending New Year's greetings to two hundred friends during the receiving hours from 2:30 to 4:30. The rooms were gaily decorated in keeping with the spirit of the occasion with a wealth of red and green garlands and holly wreaths, interspersed with red bells. In the dining room the table was spread with cluny and centered with a tall vase of red carnations, surrounded by a wreath of tiny red candles in crystal holders tied with perky bows of red tulle. The collation served was carried out in the prevailing colors. Miss Mayme Burks of Mound City, the guest of Mrs. Scott received with the hostesses. A victrola program was presented during the entertaining hours. The assisting friends were Mrs. George B. Baker Mrs. S. G. Gillam, Mrs. George Robert Eaton, Mrs. Gilbert S. Cox, Mrs. M. G. Tate, Mrs. C. D. Koch, Mrs. R. W. Pettit Mrs. E. R. Utter, Mrs. Robert Bruce Montgomery, Mrs. J. C. Allender, Mrs. William Wade Smith, Mrs. R. S. Brannger, Mrs. Thomas L. Wadley, Miss Dale Hoffman, Miss Glen Hotchkiss, Miss Grace Langan, Miss Ora Barmann and Miss Marjorie Wilfley. Among the out of town guests, other than Miss Burks, were Mrs. L. A. Stillwagon, of St. Petersburg, Fla., who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Robert Eaton, and Mrs. M. C. Guinn and Miss Mary Guinn of Bedison and Mrs. L. C. Allende of Atlantic, Ia.

Thank You

We wish to [illegible] pressing our thanks and appreciation for the kind sympathy and help of our friends during the sickness and death of four loving husband and son, and also for the beautiful floral offerings.

Mrs. Claude Campbell.
A. M. Campbell and Family.
James Pixler and Family.

Show Views at Burlington.

The final depiction of the stereopticon slides showing activities at the University of Missouri, which has been in progress over Nodaway county the last two weeks under the direction of Charles Kane of this city, was held at Burlington Junction last night. It is said to have attracted a large crowd.

[illegible] Kansas City.

Mr. [illegible] of Kansas City, who [illegible] FIRE [illegible] of Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] her home yester[illegible] page

What Are You Doing To Boost Prosperity?

Peaceful America now has the greatest chance that any nation ever had to reach out and grasp a limitless trade. Prosperity for the United States is the logical result of the gigantic war in Europe.

What are you doing as a merchant or manufacturer to open your doors to the flood of trade that will be developed for us, by the very thing that is forcing other nations to the ground.

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Will you be one of those who look over a temporary loss, and show your confidence in the big new era of business for the United States, by the recognized advance agent of prosperity—advertising?

You, as a business man, are the one to boost. As you the business men of America think so are the customers of the business men of America sure to think. The live merchant and manufacturer is going out to meet business, to boost prosperity.

His name will be before the public. The columns of the daily newspaper pave the way. Are you going to boost prosperity? As you think so will your customers think.

In Honor of Miss Burks.

The Misses Irene and Hazel Burks of Pickering entertained a party of friends last night for the pleasure of their sister, Miss Marie Burks of Allendale, who has been spending the holidays with home folks. A bob sled ride was participated in for the first part of the evening's fun. Progressive dominoe games followed after which supper was served. The game prize was awarded to Miss Goldie Barnes of Lenox, Iowa, and the consolation favor to Miss Eugenie Hull. About forty five were entertained. Among the visiting guests were Miss Barnes, Miss Goldie Carmichael and Miss Donna Lamar of Elmo. During the evning the Misses Burks were assisted by William Bosch and Miss Ida Bosch.

Called by Mother's Death.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Moore, who live south of the city, left here last night for Witten, S. D., where they were summoned by the death of Mrs. Moore's mother, Mrs. Howard Lon, who died Friday morning after an illness of three weeks.

Mrs. Long was formerly Miss Fannie Deering. The family moved to Dakota eight years ago. She is survived by her husband and five boys and four girls. Mrs. Moore is the eldest child.

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Returns to St. Joseph.

Miss Eva Montgomery, a teacher in the St. Joseph schools, who has been spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Shinabargar, left this afternoon for her home.

Home to Red Oak.

Mrs. Hamilton Turner and sons of Red Oak, Ia., who have been visiting Mrs. Turner's mother, Mrs. Katherine Woods, left this morning for their home.

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DUCHESS OF MANCHESTER

Report Says She Will Claim Entire Estate Of Deceased Father.

Photo by American Press Association

Returns to Okmulgee.

Miss Hildred Hanna who is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Hanna, will leave this afternoon for Okmulgee, Okla., where she is employed in the city schools.

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WILSON AGAINST LITERACY TEST

Will Veto Immigration Bill if Clause Hung On.

HOUSES WILL NOT BACK UP.

Many Expect Congress to Pass Measure In Spite of Disapproval of Executive—It Is Thought Both Bodies Will Get Together Over Matter.

Washington, Jan. 2.—Congress met today after the New Year's holiday with the immigration bill pending in the senate as the paramount subject of legislation.

It is the purpose of senate leaders to bring the measure to a vote on its passage before adjournment. That it will be passed, including the literacy test, is assured, although the test provision is still open to amendment.

Strong indications came from the White House that President Wilson would veto the measure if congress submitted it to him in its present form. President Taft vetoed a similar measure in 1913, because of the literacy test. The senate passed the bill over the veto, but in the house the motion to repass the measure failed by a few votes to get the necessary two-thirds majority.

The president does not believe the literacy test is a test of the quality of an immigrant.

Whether the president is to veto the measure seems to make little difference now to its champions and there are many now who predict that the bill can be passed this time in both houses over an executive disapproval. The vote of 47 to 12 in senate against eliminating the literacy test was generally accepted as a test vote. House leaders do not anticipate much trouble in the conference on senate amendments thus far adopted, including the Reed amendment to exclude persons of African blood or of the negro race.

In the house discussion was renewed on the Indian appropriation bill. Committees on the seaman's bill will be appointed by both houses.

Before the senate Philippine committee ex-President Taft is scheduled to appear to discuss the bill for enlarging the measure of Philippine self government.

Visiting at Omaha.

Miss Beulah McCoppin left yesterday for Omaha where she will be the guest of friends until Sunday night.

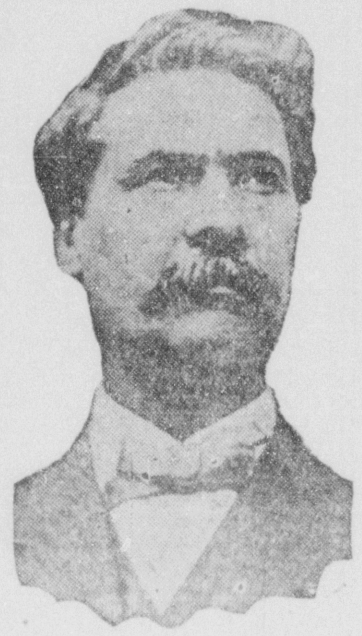
To Meet Monday Night.

The session of the First Presbyterian church will hold its regular meeting at the Manse Monday evening.

FOR SALE—5 year old Jack, 15 hands, extra good breeder. Priced cheap. T. J. McGlothen, Barnard, phone 11-11. 2-4.

GOVERNOR COLE BLEASE.

His Last Batch of Pardons Brings Total Up to Fifteen Hundred.



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THINKS THIS YEAR WILL SEE END OF WAR

Poincare Expresses Belief Struggle Will Be Over Before 1916.

Paris, Jan. 2.—The belief that the year just begun will see the ending of the war was expressed by President Poincare in an address to members of the diplomatic corps who went to the palace of the Elysee to present New Year's congratulations to him.

"I do not doubt that next year, at this traditional reception, we shall celebrate together the establishment of a beneficent peace, which, solidly based on rectitude and respect for international treaties, will give necessary security to the nations," said the president.

The British ambassador, Sir Francis Bertie, as dean of the diplomatic corps, presented the congratulations of his colleagues and himself. In his address Sir Francis remarked five diplomats present at the reception comprised "representatives of the nations fighting at the side of France and of other nations upon which neutrality imposes special duties in the grave crisis which Europe is traversing."

578'013 ALLIES PRISONERS

List Does Not Include Civilians Interned In Germany.

Berlin, Jan. 2.—The total number of prisoners of war now held in Germany amount to 8,138 officers and 577,875 men.

This is shown in a summary issued from headquarters, which points out that the list does not include civilians interned in Germany nor prisoners taken during the pursuit in Russian Poland or those in transit.

Of the above total, the French contribute 3,459 officers, including seven generals, and 215,290 men; the Russians, 3,575 officers, of whom eighteen are generals and 308,290 men; the Belgians, 612 officers, including three generals, and 36,852 men, and the British, 492 officers and 18,828 men.

Headquarters takes occasion to say that the report that 1,114 German officers and 134,700 men are prisoners in Russia is misleading, since this list includes interned civilians. Probably not more than 15 per cent of the total are military prisoners, it is declared.

AVIATOR THINKS HE HIT GERMAN CRUISER

London, Jan. 2.—The experiences of Flight Commander Francis Hewlett during the recent aerial raid on the German naval base at Cuxhaven are described in an interview with the aviator transmitted from Amsterdam. Commander Hewlett, who was believed to have lost his life until it was learned that he had been picked up by a steam trawler and landed at Muiden, Holland, says he believes that he hit a German warship with one of the bombs he dropped.

"I led the airship squadron," said Commander Hewlett. "I ran into a thick fog and after a time found myself near the coast of Schleswig. I flew over German territory and eventually came near Cuxhaven.

"When the mist had cleared I saw that I had lost my direction. I descended at a certain point, ascended again and flew over the great German fleet and the trawlers which were lying under steam behind Helgoland.

"A formidable fire was directed at me and I replied with several bombs. It is my opinion that I hit one of the German vessels, because soon afterward dense smoke arose from it.

"I was unable to find the British fleet. My motor was running hot and I was compelled to descend. I was picked up by a Dutch trawler, but destroyed my motor and sank the hydroplane before I boarded the trawler. I stayed aboard the trawler for six days during a terrific storm."

BURY BURLINGTON MAN.

Funeral Services for John Miller Held This Morning.

The funeral services of John Miller, aged 92, who died Thursday night at his home in Burlington Junction were held this morning at the Methodist church, conducted by the Rev. Tom Middleton.

Mr. Miller is survived by his wife who is eighty years old, and seven sons and daughters. They are George Miller of St. Louis, Henry, Harvey, and Wes Miller and Mrs. John Boyer of Burlington Junction, Alva and Chas. Miller of Oklahoma.

Miss Lulu Todd, who is teaching in the schools of Hammond, Ind., left this afternoon, after a holiday visit in Maryville with her mother, Mrs. Anna Todd, and family.

Talk on Osteopathy Number 5

A few years ago a young man was visiting a well known Nodaway county farmer. This young man took seriously sick one night with Asthma and nearly died. When he finally got some better this farmer told him that he was the biggest fool he ever knew and that if he had that trouble he would immediately go to Dr. Still at Kirksville. This young man answered him and said: "Have I not consulted all the best specialists in the United States and none of them can help me?" The farmer said, "Yes, but you have never been to Kirksville to Dr. Still." In the meantime this young man went back home to Illinois and this Nodawy county farmer went to Kirksville to consult Dr. Still for treatment and while there he received a telegram one day from the same young man stating that he would be in Kirksville that night. When he arrived in Kirksville he was very much disappointed with what he saw and said he had no faith in Dr. Still. This Nodaway county farmer said that Dr. Still does not care whether you have any faith or not, he will cure you any way. The next day the young man went over with this farmer and consulted Dr. Still. Dr. Still gave him one treatment and that same night the young man said that he felt different and that Dr. Still had certainly done something to him but he could not tell what. That night he tried every way he knew of to get the Asthma to return but it would not. The next day he again saw Dr. Still for another treatment and the young man asked Dr. Still how long he would have to continue the treatments. Dr. Still said "You are cured now, but I would like to see you again in four weeks." The young man said to Dr. Still, "Suppose I get another bad spell before four weeks?" Then Dr. Still answered saying that you will want to see me a whole lot worse than I will you.

This young man returned home to Illinois starting to dance and doing all other manner of things which he could not do before taking this treatment, as the Asthma immediately came back when he went into dusty places. When he found he could not get the Asthma to return he wrote to this farmer who was still at Kirksville, asking him to find out from Dr. Still what he would charge to teach him "How to cure Asthma." Dr. Still answered saying that if he taught him how to cure Asthma, it would not be a week before he would want to know how to cure something else just as bad. Tell him I will teach him the whole thing for a certain sum and immediately by return mail Dr. Still received a check from this young man for a course in Osteopathy. He is now a Osteopathic Practitioner in Cincinnati, Ohio.

DR. E. J. CARLSON
Osteopathist.

207 N. Main street, Maryville Mo.
Phone 5570 Hanamo.

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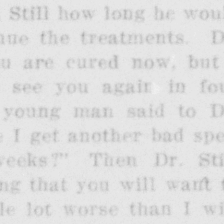

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FOR SALE—Good oak dining room set, table, chairs and sideboard, cheap. Call Hanamo 597. 2-5

FOR SALE—White Orpington cockerels, English strain. W. A. Rhodes phone Ravenwood. 12

FOR SALE—Furniture; bedstead chairs, etc. 222 S. Fillmore. Phone 309.

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Boarders and roomers. Call at 121 South Main. 2

WANTED—Clean cotton rags, at Maco Print Shop. 3

WANTED—2 furnished rooms for light housekeeping, close in. Call at this office. 2-5

Will have car of Tarkio Champion Feed on Burlington track Monday and Tuesday. Ton $28.60. 2-5

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WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. Send cash price and description. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn.

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LOST—A gold crescent, set with pearls. Return to Democrat-Forum 2-5.

LOST—Between Empire and Mrs. Mary Schaffer, south east of Maryville a small bead purse containing some small change. ED KECK at Dietz & Keck.

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Rteurns to Clearmont.

Mrs. Emma Fritz of Clearmont, who had been visiting her mother, Mrs. Maier, left today for her home.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

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